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C. & S. B. REGISTRY.

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China Times and other local newspapers:

COLONEL WEN YING SING COMMENDED FOR ARRESTING HEADS OF THE SOUTH CASTERN SELF DEFENCE ARMY.

Mr. Wu Tieh Chen, Mayor of the Municipalty of Greater Shaghai, has received a telegram from General Chiang Kai Shek, Chief of the lilitary Affair's Committee, commencing having arrested hiang Ming Chi and other important members of the South-Eastern Self-Defence Army, which organ is prejudicial to the Republic of China.

Extract from Intelligence Report 34:34.32.

Alleged Rebel Extradited to Chinese Authorities.

Tsiang King-tsih who was arrested at 744 Z Wei Li, Seymour Road, on a Shanghai Special District Court warrant (is used at the instance of the Bureau of Public Safety) charging him with being a rebel, appeared on remand on March 23, when the Court granted the application of the Bureau of Public Safety that he be extradited.

Extract from Intelligence Report 22.3.32.

Alleged rebel - Court proceedings

Tsiang Ming-tsih who was arrested at 744 Sze Wei
Li, Seymour Road, on March 19 on a Shanghai Special District
Court warrant (issued at the request of the Bureau of
Public Safety), charging him with being a rebel, appeared
before Court on March 21 when representatives of the
Bureau of Public Safety applied for his extradition.
The Court, however, ruled that the Safety Bureau had not
made out a prima facie case and ordered a remand until
23 to enable the Bureau to produce two prisoners in its
custody who had implicated the accused.

Extract from Chinese Newspapers Translation 21.3.32.

Sin Wan Pao and other local newspapers :-

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Statements taken personally from Instigators of the South-Eastern Self-Defence Army

According to information secured by a report of the Kyo Min News Agency, after the extradition of the prisoners of the South-Eastern Self-Defence Army from the 2nd Branch Kiangsu High Court to the Public Safety Bureau, Golonel Vung Ying Shing, Chief of the Bureau, instructed the Investigation Office of the 3rd Section to undertake the responsibility for conducting the examination of the case. Strict inquiries have been in progress and the truth of the case has gradually come out. A report on the wase has been submitted respectively to the Woosung-Shanghai Garrison Commissioner's Headquarters and the Municipality of Greater Shanghai for instructions.

On the afternoon of March 20, Wong Yee Ngoh, Chief of the Military Department of the Woosung-Shanghai Garrison Commissioner's Headquarters, in company with his assistants, visited the offices of the Public Safety Bureau, and ordered the offenders of the South-Eastern Self-Defence Army to be brought before him when he personally secured their statements.

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Extract from Chinese Newspapers Translation 17.3.32.

Members of the South-Eastern Self-Defence Army questioned by the Bureau of Public Safety

All ten men including one Chang Min Yuan of the South-Eastern Self-defence Army organized in the Datung Hotel, after careful investigation by the Court, were sent the day before yesterday to the Bureau of Public Safety of the Shanghai Special District where they were ouestioned one by one during the night. According to the statement unanimously confirmed by the ten men, the Southern-Eastern Self-defence Army is an organization the principle of which is national salvation in resisting Japan.

They regretted they were unable to proceed to the front to fight for the Nation and refused to admit that they had any other purposes. Furthermore, they stated that formerly they had all been figh military officers, possession excellent records, so they will never permit themselves to attempt any violation of the law.

The Bureau of Public Safety reported the matter to the higher officials and the case may be summitted in the near future to Nanking for final investigation.

In its issue of March 16th the "Kuo Nan Wan Ker" reports the following on the above cases

Rumoured that South-Rastern Self-Assence Army Organized by the Japanese

According to the information from the Bursau of Public Safety, it appears that the purposes for organizing the South-Eastern Army are rather purpling. Dailed Poline Officer Young of the Bursan was approached with the jraposes to perve as Divisional Commander of the 3rd Division. Wang pretended to accept the appointment, but privately reported this matter to Mr. Wen, the chief of the Bureau of Public Safety. Further investigations disclosed that the above Army was formed in accordance with instructions from a certain Chinese, named Chow, and arms and ammunitions were supplied by the Japanese. It appears that the sole object of this organization was to seize political reign of powers of Shanghai and destroy the good order at present prevailing in Nantao.

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Dear Blackburn,

with reference to your telephone message, I find that the statements were inadvertently detached from my letter and am now sending them to you herewith. I wish to express regret for any inconvenience caused to you by this error.

Yours sincerely,

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A.D. Blackburn Erquire, E.B.M. Consulato-General, Shanghal,

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found on the premises, taken into custody

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The seizure at this address, on examination, however, proved of no value and had no bearing on the case.

From statements made by the accused copies of which are attached it appears that the Public Safety Bureau and the offices of the various organs of the Municipality of Greater Shanghai were to be occupied by the South Bastern Self Defence Army at a certain time on March 13. The nucleus of this army was to consist of members of the Public Sagety Bureau and the Merchants Volunteer Corps for which assistance \$100,000 was to be paid and 2,000 rifle supplied to the representative of the Bureau in question together with an assurance that no dismissal or change of the present staff of the Public Safety Bureau would be effetted. army when formed would be commanded by General Chow Feng-chi 度 成), who according to the statement of the first and principal accused Li Wing-tsoong, engineered the plot under the name of Li Ngoh (35-).

General Chou Feng-chi who resides at 146 Rue Pere Robert is notorious for his treachery against Lu Yung-hsians (度 声行), Tuchun of Chekiang, when he was overthrown by Sun Chuan Fang and against the latter when the Nationalists entered Chekiang in 1927. For his desertion of Sun Chuanfang the Pationalists appointed him commander of the 26th Army which occupied Chapei and Paoshan in 1927. this post for about six months when his command was given

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	to General Chen I (75 %) owing to Chiang Kai-shek's doubt as to his, Chou's, loyalty. Again in December 1929 Chou planned a Coup d'Etat in Hangchow but the plot was discovered before maturity and Chou was forced to flee. The statement of the 9th accused, Tsang Ming-yuen (36 Mil), a graduate of the Tokio Military Academy shows him up as an individual who has lived on political and military intrigue for the past twenty four years and a very suitable man to assist in a plot of this kind. The accused have been charged with Insurrection Contrary to Art. 103 of the C.C.R.C. and will appear before Court on March 14 when an application for their extradition will be made By the Chinese Authorities.
	Superintendent. Officer i/c Special Branch.
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Clerk Lies Chung-da len

Ny mano is Soong Sih Tenng (), alian Soong Relling (). I om 28 years of age and a native of Changele, Home. I se marrie. and we one son the lives with my wife at Changele. I am dilef of the Registration Department of the Fiangele, Armenal.

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at Louse on the 12.3.32 and interpreted by Clerk Zung.

My name is Lee Min Tsong (365), 29 years of age and a native of Hu-wei FR Haion, Annhei. I am married and have four children. My wife and family are at my native place. I studied for a number of years at a grivate school in Hu Wei. On attaining the age 21 I came to Shanghai with the object of visiting a relative hand Van Ngoh Ling (F, E. E.). Chief of Staff to Seneral in Tung Heinng (電水洋). I was unable to find him so I called on a friend of my father named General Ching Ngoh Tsang (4 4), in General Lu Tung Haiang's Aways who lived in the neighbourhood of the Head Post Office. The exact address I am unable to recall to memory. On the recommendation of General Ching I proceeded to Centon where I entered to Whangpoo Military Academy. In this institution I stadied infantry manosures for about three months when I was sempelled to discentimes owing to sickness brought on by the unforcerable climatic conditions. The president of the analogy was Coursel Chine Kai Shak, I then returned to my parties place and lived with my parents the are still allow. of father's name is her from the Office. A is not summed with the partition party and he a principal ensembles by a The Control of the Co the market that amplies of the Dam II. We still David Market Res. or

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Avenue Joffre, where we rented a room in Tsong's name, for one day. The date of our arrival in Shanghai, was on the 2nd day of the 2nd Moon, 1932 (March 8, 1932). During the afternoon of this date I was loitering on the footpath outside the lodging house when I observed a kinsman of sine named Lee Ngoh (3% walking along the same foot, ath in a westerly direction. I approached and stopped him and after conversing together on general matters we entered the lodging house. The last time I saw Lee was at my native place about 3 years ago, and I had no idea that he was in Shanghai. At this time Tsoong was absent, he having gone out shopping. I teld Lee about my visit to Chi Tung and my unsuccessful search for employment. After hearing my stery he instructed me to remove to the Wei Tecong (京中) hotel on Henicks Road and rent a room there. At the same time he handed me \$100 to meet any expenses I may incur. I sain immediately receited the Toong Chong and went to the Wei Troong, but as I was unable to get a room at this place I then tried the Great Rostern Hotel, where I rented room No. 29 at a rate of \$8 per dag, later I also rested room No.24. Both rooms was registered to ay most. After recording from the language being on Amous Joffso I many son found that beats and I believe that he has returned to the Thore. As I could not rent a room at t the Wet Tenong hotel I shalled a neerage on the hotel notice based for the Interpretate of her home the last planned he will De Cast I had gone to the Parest Restore State La Short two houses CITY OF THE PARTY

where its rendquarters were located, he said that he had been a. ointed Commander in Chief of the South Sastern Army but did not, however, produce any documents regarding his appointment. He produced two chops one large and one small, bearing the c aracters Com ander in Chief Sout Eastern Delf Defence Lay (全体的标准). Sametimes he left them in a drawer in a table in the room and at times he took them sway with him. Le visited me frequently at irregular intervals and on one occasion spent a night in the room, lie brought several paper bundled to the hotel containing documents relating to letters am of an ointment for the posts of officers in the South Bestern Self Defence Army. he also broug t several fales wrapped up in parcels. He simushman did not offer me any appointment but I was hoping to receive a post as staff office, He told me to receive colliers to collect mail matter and to allow no strangers to onter the room and to keep a careful watch on the domments and the contents of the room. He did not promise no engiling in return for my services and had engaged me simply because I was unemploye Among the visitors to room 29 was Wong Ming (201) the Chief of the Main Pelice Squad of the Shanghai Public Safety Bureau. He only visited this room on enseconsion. This was on March 11. 1932. Weng Ming had been appointed commender of the 3rd Division of the South Restern Sulf Defence Army, He told Lee Much and muself that the policemen under his commend invali he incorporated in the proposed Sed Ministen. When Wong Hing called he was accompanied by Kinny Sung Dan (10 151). Chief of the 1st Squad of the Mantae Paline, Name Moore June (12.04 4-) (in metody), a military training affings of the Grand University during the past two posts, sold our feet 1th Van (25) where conveties I do not leave. with Loo Mesh about the terms San into the first Distintion of the South Santown Si after which Los Buck left the hotel, giving no li

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- 1) Payment of 3100,000.
- 2) Supply of 2,000 rifles.
- 3) He dimmissed or change of the present staff of the Public Safety Execus.

- 2) Payment of \$50,000 after one week.
- 2) Supply of 1,500 milles.
- 3) Fully accepted.

I handed the answer to King who them demanded that \$10,000 to paid on March 18. Lee Egob provided to pay \$3,000. on the afternoon of the same day. At 2 pene, Kinng Sung Daug Yong Leong Zung (in emetody) and Zen Ith Van came to Roma 34 Shortly after their arrivals Team To Bak(\$\text{H}\bar{2}-\bar{g}\$) (in ematody), who had been rest by Lee Romb, when some to peak 34, and handed over to Khang \$3,000. Kinng then gave Team a rescript for this money, Kinng the signature of Vang King. Open resolving the money, Kinng talk Team that Yong King would came to one Lee Egob had all Leafs may said but took to past 18. If was present when the

(After the completion of the above, Lee Min Tseong made the following statement which differs with somewhat with his original).

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I proposed to my mative plane. After staying at home for
about one year, If last for Canton to enter the Thangpoo
Military Academy. I remained there about 3 months and them
returned to my mative plane owing to illness. I stayed
at home until the 26th year of the Raphilic (71927) when I
came to Manghai and Joined the 86th Agay, under General
Cher Yang Chi(/H/K/) as Communication of the Supplementary Regime
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diamoning the Informator Agay in Chapol in 1967.

About June, 2007, Sunexal ther Yong the resigned using to a diversion of opinion with Seconds Chinag Kai Sheky I also realgood, and returned to my intive place in Ashrot, and sugged in the business I have mentioned in my previous statement.

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Clerk Lise Chung-chien

My moso is Li Sing Mgob (李醒我), alies Li Sau Teorg (李拉答), metive of this Ching (根属.) in the province of Heman. I am 38 years old. I am married and have one con who is now with my wife in Homen. I entire son of Li Tesu Chin (本本書), the was a med cine deser in Hericom and who cled 13 years ago. By mother lives at this Ching. At 8 years of age. I communed my education under a private tuitor until I was 19 yearfold when I obtained an appointment as Liaison Officer of the 18th Independent Brigade under The Pel Fu at Ichang which I robules until I was 27 place of age. I then secure. an appointment with Sensoral Yang den (##4) as officer of the Administration Department ofhis forces. I held the letter position for four years and then went to reside in Bakes for three years dust ng strick time I was unemployed. In the fullowing year (1928), I was appointed on Inspector of the idulate tradicion of the and special District (Subseque Committee (Special Committee) of States of Committees. At their the same samples (# X is to be see & see & fee of the Examples Areand, we in design of the Office. Shout sight THE RESERVE THE PROPERTY OF THE PARTY AND THE PROPERTY. Description in the second section of the D

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named two men more introduced to me by Trang Ming Yusha Stortly afterwards we five men went to the ground floor of the hotel have tiffin. During the tiffin Teang Ning You and Li Ming Tuome maki we are going to organize an army and requested the help of the reminder of the company. They further stated that the proposed army would send t the 19th Reute Army to resist Jepan. After further unimportant convergation we all last the dining room and must upstairs to the same floor where we entered another room the number of which I do not know. On entering the room Toung King Then and Li Hing Stong asked the boy to serve tee and Thise this was being done comma dressed in cirerestes. a Maki uniform jacket (Name Zoung Zung (£ (4(2)) case in and said to Id Ming Soong "Our non are coming" and them beft-The police ergived immediately afterwards and errories every one in the ro

(Supt. Hobertson)

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March 15

J.I. Sih Ta Liang

My name is thou Ter-mah. I am 29 years of ago, "ative of Chekiang, and reside in room 33 linh hung lodging house, House Thapeal, French Consession. I graduated from the len Chi iniversity, Kiangwan, in 1926 and went to Kiukinng shere I was amlowed as postal and telegraph censor by the Kiukiang Defence Commendence's Anadomerters. I held this post for three mouths at the end of which period the Defence Conmissioner and his troops moved to Chucheu, Chekiany, where they were recreated and styled the 26th Mevelutionary Army. commanded by General Chew Peng-shi. I was appointed officerinvelopers of the Inlearant Section of this army. In February 1927 the camp arrived in Shanghai where I maintained my position until October of the same year following the resignation of these Fengeshi. I then west to Foother and and there was appointed Chief Detective to the Salt Transportation Durens. I held this post until March 1926 when I resigned following the Chief of the Bureau, Ying S Li (All M) giving up his appointment. I came to Shanghai where I runnined without employment until June 1929 when I was soked by Chang Ting-fan through my friend moned lek Journe Soul (不為) who Summerly served as a Inthalien Commender under Chang Time-Can. to seedet him. Chang Time-Can in the especity of a secret representative of 14 Tours-jen in Sherethal, supposed Chines Not-whek's distributedly. This week consed one mustb later than those Thosefun left for Capten. Free April to October 1950 S conferted them Tongress (16.75) and Non Stagege (戈皮) mores representatives of Ming

Tu-heining, in Champhai, in conducting an anti-Chiang Rai-chak movement. By accimiance consisted of writing letters, deciphering codes and negotiating with the Shanghai representative of the Canton anny. These efforts were without success. From October 1930 until the present I have had no employment, depending upon my relatives for my uphrosp. By father is then Feb-teing (A), manger of the Hang % Thang Cotton Mill, Maghine Mind. Me, my father, and all my relatives are in Anagaham, where they went it the commonment of the Mino-Appendes hastilities. I have been effered a post as tity Magistrate by the Chambang Succincial Communications into I have decimal decimal being week.

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is. I did not sek id king-toony who hu, id Mgauk, was as the matter was strictly secret. Id Ming-tsong told me that he wanted the service of people with diplomatic qualifications to assist is establishing understanding with the local representatives of the Persign Powers. I promised to find such a person for him. I then went (on Karch 8) to see Consent Ches Personali at 146 has Perso Hebert and explained the matter to him, telling him what I wanted. General Chou assessed to be necessisted with the glot as he never put any questions to me. I wont to dengeral Chou Ferns-chife house again on the meraine of March 9 when General Ches said he had seen Wallington Koo who semuntines with the aim of an ermy ecupered of merchant valuateurs and police to defund mantes as the Japanese would not attack such a force in that it would not be tenned military. On the morning of Imseh 10 Li Hingtoons again cost his could to my ledgings informing me that he had removed to the Great Mapters Metal. I woult there the same day at 8 a.m. when I say 14 Ming-teens who introduces me to ton others in his room. These men were remed then Jah-shou (A (it), a tended of the Person of Public substy, and was lies (3 kg), a military tentels; officer of the Great China Relvereity. I informed them of General Cheer's interview with Mr. Tellington Has whosevers Show empressed his williaguess to energy on the engagination of the proposed entry. I then withdraw as I thought they wested to discuss secret military aminore. I then week to the home of determined these Perspected to Anderso held that 14 Mang-tourn had

decided to put his plans for the erganization of a defence arms into execution.

In Enrch 11 (at 5.30 perc) I went to the Great Sastern Motel where I saw Li Mins-teeng who introduced me to monng time. Unief of the meserve That of the Public Safety Bureau. Frang Ming Ingreseed his desire to be appeinted Divisional Commander haming sele control over the reblic infety Bureau to which Li King-toong agreed to the condition that by the might of March 12 the Defence Assyr should be fermally established and that the flags of the Amer be helsted at Matter. Hunny Miny premised to give as ensure personally at 9 a.m. March 12. In the room there were two others; one was Rong Ling and the other manual Zoo. brought by Hunng Ring. I left at 5.00 p.m. while the four persons were taking dismer. Il Hing-tong told me he was in the employ of one Li March. Li Ming-toong did not ony who Li But was or what recombendation he, if Ming-tueng, would receive.

At 9.45 a.m. March 12 I went to the Spent Engine Sets and found Li Ming-tong, Youg Ling, Inc and enother Chinese when he introduced to so under the same Kinny Sungton ($\frac{7}{7}$) as Group Communior of the Reserve Unit, the latter two representing Energ Ming. Id then told so that Homes Ming Ming had sent those two representatives have and demanded \$100,000,00, 2,000 rities and free appaintment for himself in the unit of division under him, that he had egypted to give 1,500 rities and pay \$50,000 propertivity in the or

seven days time after the inauguration of this army, and free me containing these conditions and another appointment. Headwhile I saw Li helding & paper wlip southing as item intimitating that \$100,000 as rever's and expenses would be given to Henny immediately on the day following the improve ties of the ermy. These two slips were subsequently handed to Kinng Sump-tac. Id further instructed them to ask Bunne Mine whether he accepted those conditions or not, therespon Kings intimated that Street would meet probably mount them, but, to defrey the expenses in starting the morement of 9 pure Merik 12. Many demanded that \$5,000 be lessed to them at once. Id Ming-toong agreed to pay 83,000 but school then to coundt with Manag Ming first, whoreupon Kinny Sung-too and Your Ling left with the two chits, thile me remined in the hotel. If Ming-terms having no memor. consulted with me and in communes I proceeded to these Peng-off to bear these I erstvot at 20,00 a.m. I explained to then the situation and then presided to easily to Mr. Kee for assistance and instructed no to return for reply as hear later. After haring spent on hour in whatting friends, I returned to then's home. then gote no 15,000 to notes which he said was thinking from 30. Ros. I brought the 63,000 to Great Anators Motel where I rengted at obest 11.48 non- I our Li Ming-tonny in from Mr. Then he teld so that Sunay Ring had agreed and I 1-24 Man 19m4 12_000 had been broughly here; I then handed the namey to him, therespok to work to Rean 54 where I found that Many and You had both substants. Many helander his with andl leather occo. If Hap-tong that hasief the newsy to

Kiang Supp-tee who placed the motor on a table. Shile he was planting the motor late a leather ence, one had a rough check of the motor. If then in the processe of Kings and others. handed me the remaint of \$5,000 as food meany for the Myleica cigned by Money Mine. Schooquently Kinny suncursed that Tang Wing would come at 4 pure the same day to have a last discussion on the matter and to fix the time for the storting of this mercensis. (Money Inc and Tony Ming then left-I remained and took tiffin in the Maing Mean with Li. one unknown purpose, and one thong Ming Yeen, when I know on my which to the Grant Machine Match, through the imbrehestion of Is the dependent him on third of Shoff. I do not know than he entered this seem. I poterned to hear 34 at 4 p.m. with a yler to learning the result of soming discussion by Jones Man and found 14 Man-toons and Ino and two unknown persons, our of whom was writing. I then eated 14 whether Junes 204 comor not. 16 464 not give a close raphy. A for measure later I then inferred IA of a named to the effect that the Chicago subharities would take quadal passantions to-algui for their had received information about receive unricking by and technique. Just at that time things and figure Surelantes, amed with pictules aspected un. They seemeded our motocos and the real.

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AT nome is thew Keng-ming. aged the native of animal. I am married and reside with my wife and daughter at 86 Yung Bes 11. Sue brenier de Sontmorand. A had four children. three sons and a daughter. Two of my sons are dead. My Sacoud son was killed last year in Hangai when serving in Seconal Suma Lien-chen's army operating against the Commists. By third son who was a sub-find limitement served in the 87th Mivision of 5th Boute Army and was recently willed near Managem whilst operating against the Japanese I was informed of his death by my eldest son named thow Tnahsong () who is a secretary employed by the Ablic Safety Sareau in Tsingtao. I was bern at manhor Haudiow Ammel where my father was an officer 1 the imper al Aroy. then six years of age I commenced my education under a private butor engaged by my family and studied under him until I was 17 years of age. I then thing the merial willit sy tobsol at Miss Jan & J' ik), Chibli and six years later was chosen with 35 others on the instructions of Tuen Shibetal to continue of military studies at the williary Assisting Police. I attended the Military Academy at Tokin for torse years and returned with the 55 others to Tim take Where I was appointed Staff Officer water hien Sall-at, I was then 25 years of sign. After serviced in my latter especity as Staff Officer for six months I was transferred to the 13th Spigade of the In arts | length stationed at Chin STATE OF THE PART THE PART IN THE LINE PARENTS OF Marie Will I was the

Four years lat r I was appointed Colonel of the Artil Gry Battallon of the 18th Brigade and 12 months afterwards was promoted commander of the Artillery logiment of the some Brigade. In the year of the Revol tion (1910) the 18th Erizade of the imperial forces was recommended into the 19th Division of the ermy of the Chinese Republic and still memair et Chin Kieng (76 %). Pour years later when Fong Killteens (414 was Wiltery fove por of Hangan Province, the 19th Milian was thansformed from thin himn to manking whore I served with it for me year and was then greated extended leave owing to sickness. I returned to my native home at Handlow and six weeks later was appointed Chief Staff Officer of the Special Matrict of Palen Than (海是) worth West of Chihli and Borth America. I held this protestment for one year and retired to live in Paking. I lived in Faking for two years and when ign Roomgehalang was appointed distary Covernor of Chekimag frovince be invited as to serve as his private counsellors which position I hald for three years and was then appointed by the forestment as Galef Staff officer to im Young-haising. I held this posttion for mo years and retired immediately prior to the utbrook of nestilities actroen the forces of in Toong-halong and Old. bin-year (Checking - Elanges Sivil Far) to live in Mates Bd. (I can at recrited the sumber of the bound) dampted for the years. Suring the paried of my stay in Mangiel I was not engaged in may could by the temperature I was appointed gift to the faring Opensous and sorved in a cilip or a

for one year at the end of that time I prought my family to Shangist where they took up residence at 3 Pu Jung 11667). bue Fere Bebert and I returned to Tientsin to underso median treatment but occasionally returned to Stangual to vis-it my family. I removed from 5 Pu Zung II. Bue Perall Robert to my present address about six years ago. Buring the time I lived at Tientsio I was not employed to any capacity as I suff red from lung trouble and all my friends had retired from active service. I returned to Shanghal at the end of Township 1931 and have remained here since. During the time I was abbe service of in Young-halong about 5 years ago, I met Sung Egoh-su (3313), then employed as an Inspector in the Sangehow Mint, and we became friends since that time. Song Back-on has been under me at various intervals as a strict. Be lives on Jessfield Road and visits me frequently About 18 noon to-day, Sung Mach-on come to my house and told me that forme Ming-room who was one of the 52 officers who went with me to the "Elitary Academy at Tokie, wished to see me. I enquired of his where found Mangrade was to be found and he replied "home Mo. Great Ensteyn Metal". I then told Sing Rosb-on that I wanted to go to the Bit Sing Dong Fedicine Shap, Smiking load and took I would wish thong Managemen at the seen time, and should be pure Aug Spitems and I had't bened to so and purchase the meliting. The bened the was on at the de Protes to the wife the facility where the district

two other gentlemen unknown to me were present. Amugat
As mang ngoh-su and I sat down, Tanng Ming-yuan entered and
after he enquiried if I had had tiffin he gave me a cup of
tea. At that moment as the police arrived and searched me
and then took me with the others to lower Station. I went
to the Great Eastern Motel for no other purpose than to
meet we me Ming-yuan for a friendly chat and if Tanng lingyuan or any other erson can prove that I am en aged in
may subsersive activities I am quite willing to accept
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Jaroh 13,1432

Clerk Lob Sel-koug

My name is Tung Nych-ding, age 38 years, and I am a maties of Wohn, Anherd Province. I am married and my wife is at greenst in Tahm. I never went to school and I am illiterate. I was a hawher at my matiw place for 8 years. When I was 26, I joined the Walsa Salt Supprling Provention Corps as a Constable and staved with this body until Jamery 1, 1931 when it was disselve. On Jennery 15, 1981 (lunar calendar), I ment to Links and joined the Salt Sampgling Provention Corps there as a constable. I left Links on March 1. 1982 when the Japaness Ferror commist the place: 1 then tesk refers at Souther. I came to Shanghai via Sunctions and demoders on Hopel 11. I does to Shoughai to what a ma smed two Tome tak she maded in the sal. He was a servent to a Chinese Sadly. I first not him in Pains where he was angleped in a strillar especies. I again set his constinue hast year when in som to Shanhal from Links to nois some purchases. I herosse Salled to leasts him. I then cam into the Settlement at called to Harling Real, At about # p.s., March 11, when I majoling the Great Hostom Botol I not a non nessed Lee Mag-tong. I have then galous in Wide where he kept a chareant shap. I aghed his when he men to Streetal. No stylich that he nestrat from Wales too deep one. To then questioned me wheat specif mil I told him that I approved in Manufact at March 11. one bate the hatel on b

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I ment inside with his to his room No.29. At 3 p.m. I left the hotel and to a bathouse but I do not remember the mane of the place or the read. I returned to Lee's roca at the hotel about 7 p.m. About 9 p.m. I and Lee west to bed. I got my at 8 a.m. on March 12 md went out slone to a foodshop mear the hetal. About 9 s.m. I returned to Lee's room and found that he had got up. I then turned out m d malked about the hotel. A few minutes later 3 other men entered the room. I did not know these sen so I left the room. I walked about the hotel until 11 a.m. when I saw the 3 men leave the room. I ment back and som Lee but he did not say snything. I left the rece and ordered food which was served me in an successied room. I finished enting at 12 noon and most for a walk about the hotel. About 4 p.m. I set cutable Lee's roos to 20 and a little while later a Person of saline of the Public Safety Sursen came. belook no into less No.20 but there was no one incide, or the country of a country of

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Louza Station

March 13

Clerk Chao Shih - chow.

My name is Wong Zoong-zung (I) aged 35, native of Kiangsu. I was married in 1923 but my wife died the following year. I have no children of my own but have an adopted son, aged 5 years, living at my native place, Tung Tai (I). I am at present employed as a military instructor at the Dah Hsia University, Jessfield Road, where I live; my pupils being students of the university who desire to have military training which consists of drilling. In addition to my work as a military instructor I undertake voluntarily to give lessons in reading to young children at the Pei Ming Elementary School which is near to the Dah Hsia University. The body of students to whom I give military instruction are not an Anti-Japanese and National Salvation Army.

I was born at Tung Tai Hsien near Chinkiang. Between the ages of 12 and 15 years, I attended a small school at my native village after which I attended the Sing Tsa () high school, also at Tung Tai, for a further two years, At the age of 17, on hearing that students would be accepted at Teng Tue Hsiang's Military School at Kaifeng, known as the Honan Military School I proceeded to Kaifeng, where I learned that free tuition could be obtained on passing an examination in reading, writing and geography. I was allowed to sit at this examination and succeeded in passing. I entered the Honan Military School and studied for three years. On the completion of my studies I and some 500 other graduates were posted as officers to Teng The Hsiang's North-Vestern Army and we departed with some

On arrival at Ming Hong, Fokien Province, we learned that most of the banditry had already been suppressed. I remained in the North-Western Army in the Fokien Province for about three About 300 of the years and then the army was disbanded. ex-graduates of Kaifeng Military College then proceeded to Canton and I elected to go with them. The remaining 200 returned to their homes. On arrival at Canton I secured service under General Hsu Tsung-tse (14 7.46.) in his first Route Army as Captain. I proceeded with the Army to Pah Yuan San (634) and operated against General Chen Kwen-ming (14.139) troops. After a year's fighting General Chen's forces retreated to Weichow. The forces with whom I was serving followed them and the fighting lasted for another two years. engagement I received wounds in the legs, which necessitated my resigning my service with the 1st Route Army. On leaving the 1st Route Army I then came to Shanghai in order to receive medical treatment which was rendered by a Chinese doctor named Li Ling (\$ 11) whose office was in Avenue Joffre.

well again. I had a little money and I joined together with some friends and started a hotel which was named the Yvan Chow Hotel at Tung Shing Jan in the French Concession. After a few months the hotel proved a failure and I returned to my native place. I have not seen or heard of my shareholders since them. At Tung Tai (my native place) I lived for two years with my elder brother named Wong Tien-ming (22).

There I got married but my wife died shout a year afterwards.

I was then about 29 years old. Not having any work to do at my home, I decided to go to Canton which I did and on arrival there I got in touch with General Chien Dah-chun (格大物) whom I had known when serving with the 1st Route Army. sponsored my going to the Whangpoo Military Academy where I remained for two years studying military matters. went to Nanking and there met one Ho Min-yuin (15 R) 20, a committee member of Kiangsu Provincial Government. I had known him on my first visit to Canton when he was the editor of a newspaper there. Through Ho Ming-yuin I obtained the position of chief of the Public Safety Bureau at Pei Hsien (3, 3%) near to Nanking. I did not remain there more than six months as my health broke down. I then proceeded to Poochen () near Puker and obtained the position of Chief of the Public Safety Bureau there, but I was dismissed owing to a new and more influential man being appointed. to get in touch with friends at Shanghai I came here and stayed at the Woo Ping (30 2) Lodging House near Rue du Consulat. I stayed at the lodging house for three months but unable to find employment. I went to Winghai where I obtained a position as police inspector through the help of Lai Kong (12 2) whom I had known at the Thangpob Military Academy. I remained in this position for about two years, but on account of a change in the chiefe of the Public Safety Bureau, I lost my position and came to Shanghai again. On my return to Shanghai I visited a man named Scong Toung-bin (# 1.1.). show I had known in Centen on my first whalt there.

at that time lived at 2 Ching Hai Li () Rue Wantz and aided me to find my present position. He is now living at Nc. 22 Pao Jen Li, Avenue Joffre.

During Pay 1931 I visited the Great World with an old friend named Soong Tsung-kin who now occupies the position of Chief of the 8th Section of the Police Forces of the Shanghai Public Safety Bureau, and was introduced to one Kong Sung-dao (| 2 声 | 子), a native of Anhwei aged about 20 years. He is a subordinate official of the Public Safety Bureau being in charge of the lat corps. There was no special purpose in the introduction other than friendship. I became friendly with Kong and we used to meet about three times a month. Sometimes I went to Kong's house which was near the Nantao Public Safety Bureau and sometimes he came to see me at the Dah Hsia University. On account of danger occasioned by the Japanese advance I could no longer remain at the University and Kong told me I could take meals at his house. We have seen a lot of each other during the last few days. On one occasion when visiting Kong at the Public Safety Bureau I was introduced to one Zau If-van () who is a teacher of a small middle school but I do not know where it is located. There was no object in the introduction other than friendship. I have not seen the latter very much except on eccasion when I have visited the Public Safety Bureau.

On March 11, I went to Kong Sung-dan's house for tiffin and Just when we had finished Mon If-yan came to see Kong: Bong conversation regarding a "Self-Protection Corpo-

took place between Kong and Zau and I became interested. Mong then maked said he had business at the Public Safety Bureau and asked Zau and I to accompany him there to meet an old friend named Wong Ming (), Chief of the Special Duty Section of the Mantae Public Safety Bureau. Accordingly we proceeded on foot to the Public Safety Bureau and Kong introduced me to Wong Wing. After the introduction was completed Kong, Zau and Wong talked about the Self Protection Corps. I was told by Kong that the idea of the Self Protection Corps was to defend Nantao against the Japanese invasion. Kong suggested that I accompany him to the Great Eastern Hotel where persons interested in the Corps met in Rooms 34 and 29. Accordingly Wong Wing, Kong Sung-dan, Zan Th-van and I got into Wong King's private motorcar and proceeded to the Great Eastern Hotel. Room No. 34 there were two men whose names I know to be Li Mingzoong (李好学,) and Toung Wing-yuib (特明克). Li for about one year having been introduced to him by one Loo Whom I had met when I was Chief of the Public Safety Bureau at Pel Esicn. The introduction took place at the Hwa Peh (\$11) Lodging House, Rue Brenier de Montmorand. I have Meeus Chang King-yuin for many years but I forget where I met him. For a long time we talked about the Splf Protection Sorps and praised the patriotic motives which actuated the proposed formation of the unit. We all then set down to dinner. After dinner was finished Wong Ming instructed Kong to go to the Public Safety Surgest and Roug immediately less the form. If Mag-rooms throughout the diamer and afterments that up a white perfor

conversation with Tong Sing. At about 5.30 pers. I was about to make lower whom has libered the set to so on the following to see long king at the Public Safety Bureau but did not may for what purpose. I left the Great Mastern Sotel then and went to the Tsung lang Ledging House where I was staying on account of not being able to go to the University.

At about 7 a.m. in March 12 Zau Ib-van cute to my sedding house in a ricoha and asked me to accompany hir to Kong's house and them go to see Fong Ming. I called a ricaha and we both went together to head's house where we have Brookfast tegether with Jesse After brookfast was finished we all walked to wong Hing's house but only flong went inside the house. A little time later Keeg come out and said that Bong Hing was not maing to the Great Mastern sotel but we seeld use his motor care. Accordingly the three of us get into roug Ming's notorous which me indicated by Kong and we proceeded to the Great Restern Motel and to/ Recm No.34 when we got those we found that Tonng Ming-guen was alreadin the resolutionet at the case time as we am those Li Wingtecomy agricul. Some told the company that he had been entherized by Your Fine to not on his proposentative and stated that Your King poquired \$500,000 to engenise the "Bell Production Correl" Thong Mine-give and Lot Mine Tootag states that they did not have strongly making at the tide. Id King-tenning and Toront Management mant control he a few minutes automost segles that half that our could - AT \$ 13.)

that enough money to purchase 2,000 rifles would also be Lee Fing-tscong stated that he would raise enough money to purchase half the number of rifles required. Kong then stated that Wong Ming claimed the right to be made Chief of the 3rd Division of the Self Protection Corps. Tsang Ming-yuen then took a piece of paper and wrote out an acceptance of Wong Ming's demands. Lee ling-chun then stamped the document with a seal in size about 1 inch by half an inch. I did not see the characters on the chop. Fing-chun then handed the document to Kong Sung-dau who put it in his pocket. Kong left the place a few minutes later saying that he would deliver the document to Wong Ming. A short time later Tsang Ming-yuen and Lee Ming-chun requested Zau Th-van and I to go and find Kong and ask him to come and collect \$3,000 on behalf of Wong Ming. Accordingly we left the place and hired a public motorcar in which we proceeded to Kong's house where we found Kong and the three of us had tiffin tegether. Kong said that Wong Ming would go to the Great Eastern Rotel at 4 p.m. that day. Baring finished tiffin at about 1.30 p.m. Kong Sungden, Zau Th-ven and myself went in a hired motorear to the Great Eastern Hetel, Kong saying that he wanted to collect the \$3,000 for Wong Ming. The three of us went to Room 34 in which were Teany Ming-yeen and Lee Ming-tecong. told Lee that he had come for the money for Wong Ming and produced a receipt which he stated had been prepared by Tong Ming as per an arrangements. The reacipt was given to

Lee and shortly afterwards a person unknown to me brought in a large packet which was opened by Kong and found to contain a large sum of money. Kong was also given aba ket of armlets to be worn by members of the Self Protection Corps. Kong Sung-dam and Zan Ih-was went away with the money and other packets but before going Kong told me to meet Wong Ming at the Public Safety Bureau is order to accompany him to the Great Rastern Hetel where he was expected at 4 p.m. that day. I left the Great Eastern Hotel and went to the Bing On Co. and having made some small purchases went to room at the ledging house. I only remained in my room a few minutes and then proceeded by a No.5 Route Transar to the Public Safety Bureau where I found wong King, Zon Ih-van and Kong Sung-dan ready to leave. The four of us got into Yong King's motor ear and a spy in Youg's company out beside the driver. On arrival at the Metal. Kong Sung-day asked me to go to Rosm 29 and mait. Kong Seng-don, Low Sheren and the spy went to Room 34 and Bong Hing to use other part of the hetal.

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D.I.Bih Tue-liang

My rame is Sung Ngoh-au, 42 years of age, native of Ewainn, Fignger and am now residing at the home of my daughter at 111 Jessfield Road. I studied at home until I was 17 years of age when I opened a confectionary shop at my native place. After 2 years the shop was closed owing to bad business and I secured a situation as a clerk in the Customs at Humian. I held this post until 1923 when I received a job as clerk in the Kint at Hangohow which pest I held for 3 years after while I returned home because my mother had died and again entered the Customs there as a clerk. 1 retained my past until 1930 when the Swalan Sustess was abolished by the Ministry of Finance. I resaineds unemployed until January 1952 when I camete Shanghai and resided with my daughter and son-in-law mess at / 111 Joss field Road, a fereign uncompled dwellig where my sen-in-law is employed as a watchman. Since arriving in Shanghai I have had no employment and the only friend I have locally is them Kenge sing (R BB), she resides at M Rue Brenier de Montmorand and was formerly a Colemal in the Army at liveless and at ope time thief of Staff to Lu Youghainne, then Tuchun of Charleng, On the morning of Harch 10, I winted then at his hand and there not one trans structures (1/2 to (1/2) when then introduced as a former school Sulling of Man. The 1840as remorant ton think took plant on this state such have been of a parent states to I wish that the first state of I. I THE CONTRACT SHEET IN THE PARTY OF SHEET PARTY OF THE PAR 13 man on harde 12 was be interest on that blooding

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Chiang Kaiwahak and resisting the Japanese forces. M also intimated that he had made arrangements with the Mafety Sureau and the Marchants Volunteers for their assistance and cooperation Li also stated that one Humang Ming (%). On officer of the Bureau of Public Safety had accepted a pest s Divisional Commander in the proposed army and another man nemed Misag (22), also of the sureau, had secreted a post as Colocal. Abother number of the Safety Bureau, named Maing (@). had accepted a post as Brigadier. Id also confided that the main part of the plot was that the man of the Bureau of Public Sofe y and the merchants Volunteers should form the micleus of the New Army. I replied that I must give the amtter full considerati before deciding in the matter of his request for my advice, I visited the betel egain resterder afternoon (serch 11) when I met moung ming. While I was there Al ming-tee mg handed humng ming his (Munng Ming's) letter of appointment as Commader of the 3rd Mivigigm in the new Away. On this equation ld told me that Secret Ches Beng-shi (# A), on fuches of Cheking. the also a party to the plot and is all likelihood would company the pay exist. Control Chon's propert abgreshouts are microsus to no and I did not enguise from 14 on this points On taking my disparture from the front Barters fotal, id beinged of no to return and statt his next living. Sout II a.m. te-days I again went to

a buildle of bank notes which he handed to Eiang who counted them and declared the amount as 3,000. As to the disposal of the monde I am not sertain if it went entirely to stang or was shared between him and Cine, but it went to one or both of them. I did not pay close attention on this point but I am certain the money did not go back to Li. King as I stated before is a mamber of the Hureau of Fublic Bafety while Chan I understood to be his colleague who would be Chief of Staff to Mune wing also of the Bureau. on his. Henne's appeintment in the new army. Those two men immediately after tiffic left thehetels premising to return at 4 pans with hueng Hing. Most their departure Li told no that Huang Ming me demending 200,000 for his societanes in the plot. Ording to look of finds 14 stuld not most this but had padd set the E5,000,00 to Honor through the two sen, Kieng and is with a premier of \$100,000 on the successful counting the of the photo them I wont to the room to-day there water in the same thems this case, top of whom I gaw on my proving with the star of the one one day to the rows the true this are ld Misgrages and THE RESIDENCE OF STREET A DESCRIPTION OF THE PERSON OF

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Clark K. o Yen-keng.

My mans is Soong Pah-dau, age: 36, mative of At the time of my arrest, I Changebe and merriods me living at No.25 Fing King Towns (1447), the Frenier de Montmorent, with a relative of mine Soons My mative address is Lamby Li 2 Clements arrenal. farmer in my mative place. Between 1896 and 1926 I was a member of the commingariet of the Thimtein Tuz fureme. I left this position owing to the realization of the Order of the Bullion. Im 1046 I became part proprietor of a both house in Progra (1), Advel. I left remains owing to the floods at that place which unde bustance very poor each door to thought an Leonab 1852 with a view to approaching soung Sub-place (E Director of the Kinggon Arestol. He aich. distant relative of mine. I live: in the Klamman Around after my environ in thoughed well the beginning of Polynery wish I wish to the shops address in the Franch Consecrion fallering the authorit of the Alto-Seponers I 444 m week a I must be the sention both

came to the address in the French Consession nor were any mostings held there. I am not a member of any party or sent and my only desire was to secure a position in the Armsonl.

(Signed) Soong Pab-dau-

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D. L. Tib Tec-liens

My name to Zeu Wei-clen (字处先), 19 years of the, native of Changham, Human and live at 25 Hrin Min Tahang (304) Fue Brenier de Montmorand, the home of my consin, foong Tyl-lieng (2 = 2) sho is in charg of the hegistry of ce in Kiangman Areenal. I myself em en en renties mechanic in the Argenal. In 1929 I studied in the Tshoo Vin (21%) Frimary School, Changkha, for about 5 m. nths. I was compelled to give up exudies owing to the poor finencial state of my family. At the beginning of 1929 I become en apprentice in the Deh With Ming Paper Shop, Changeha. I remained until December, 1931 when my parents received a letter from my courin Seeng Tyl-linng weking that I come to Thanghai and work as an apprentice mechanic in the Arespal. I arrived in Changhai on Jamuary 25, 1982 end impediately communed my appromisemble. At about 9 pers March 12 when I was at home with my mother's brother Soong Peh-den 12 6 (1) a party of Police come in and escretho: the race that select some letters and took me bate sectody. Second money (4)(7) alles Soons Fut-Many was not in at this time, learning been at 12 moon, that the Property like despertment he told of that he was joing to said in many fractal to the beat section beat, the 450 met marken that was at the following the market of

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- 1) Into army token upon itself the greatest this of eaving the country from the present crims and improving the political administrations by setting rid of all forms of corruption. It has been decided that the whole tody of the army will gather together at the similar lity of Greater thenghal on the forenoon of inst.

 so as to take an eath expressing their determination to resist the aggression of our stong neighbouring country and to eath lish a genuine desperatio rule.
- 2) teng sing, Com ander of the Gre Livision and concurrently Provisional English Law Commader at Shangmai, is hereby ordered to lead a number of his men and occups the Shanghai Public Safety Suress before A.M. March 13. After the securetion of the Bureau and the despatch of men for the mount post and scouting duties for the purpose of enforcing present ionery measures, the rest of Vang's officers and neg are to proceed to the Municipality of Greater hanghal hefere . was . A.M. March 13 to email for instructions. b) Song Ling (I RE) a Special Daty Officer of the Baroom of Public Sefety, is hereby externa to lend his men to midertain pressuttenery measures along the route from the Samil Rast Cate_to the Patite Sefety Japan from (time to (time). After this, (time and his neg) should proceed to the lesticipality of director phonetal to mail artmettent.

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- 6) Yao is ina (如意事), Chief of the Srd Large volice Squad of the 3rd Hain Group, is hereby ordered to lead his men to occupy Small South Gate and vicinity before A.M. Earch 13 Apart from those detailed for scouting duties, the rest of the officers and men should proceed to the Numicipality of Greater Changhai at A.E. the same day to await instructions.
- 7) It is very important that the treeps of the 3rd Division and the secute of the various large equads of the 3rd Hain Group should maintain close connections and that the residents should not be disturbed in any way.
- 8) The various troops belonging to this army should strictly observe the exters of the Martial Law Commander in matters relating to the maintenance of peace and exter in the district.

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Translation of a document found in Rock 29 on March 12, 1932.

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Land Bureau. You Cz Yuan Garden, Hing he houd.

Army Club, Ching Zee Jao.

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Translation of a document found in Room 29.08 Farch 12.1932.

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- 3) Farses, special and common, for distribution.
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SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL POLICE.

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Unsuccessful Coup d'Etat in Mantao and // | 5 | 32

arrest of 12 participants.

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Two Leaders Of Plot Against Mayor Wu Get Death Penalty

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SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL POLICE.

REPORT

Subject (in full) Resume of plot to stage coup d'etat at Nanta

arrest of participants

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On the night of March 10, 1932, Huang Ming Commander of the Reserve Unit of the Public Safety Bureau reported to the headquarters of the Bureau that he had learned from Sheng Shih-cheu (17 11). Commander of the 8th Corps of the Reserve Unit and Kiangs Sung-dau (注為语). Commander of the 1st Corps of the Reserve Unit that one Wang Zoong-jen (14 15) at that time a military instructor in the Great China University had at the instigation of one Chow Feng-chi approached the two Corps Commanders requesting them to throw in their lot with a plot to form a South Eastern Defence According to the plot Chow and his confederates had planned to effect a coup d'etat at Nantao following which they would assume control of Nantao, the Western District and Pootung, the last named place being selected as a military base. Sheng and Kieng were also asked to obtain the assistance of the Merchant Volunteers who, according to plans, were to form the nucleus of the new Army. General Wen Ying-sing () L), Chief of the

Public Safety Bureau observing the seriousness of the situation instructed the two Corns Commanders to act as

the conspirators to which they were invited, whilst every precautions was taken to avoid any untimely insurrection.

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At 3 p.m. on March 11, 1932, Huang Ming, Kiang Sungdau and others of the Public Safety Bureau were instructed to attend a meeting of the conspirators which was to be held in

the Great Eastern Hotel. During the meeting it was revealed that Chow Yeng-chi was the Commander-in-Chief of the South

Bastern Self Defence Army, whilst Li Ming-chung 15 14 3

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was Commander of the Army, Chang Ming-yuen (#),
Chief of Staff and Wang Zoong-chi (# 42), Chief of the
Public Safety Bureau to be formed under the new regime.
Other offices such as the Chief of the Staff Office, Chief
of the Adjutants Office, Chief of the Military Supply
Office and Chief of the Secretariat had been filled by other
adherents to the plot.

It transpired during the meeting that the aims of

taking over the various organs of the Municipality, and
thereafter overthrow the present Nanking regime and offer
armed resistance to the Japanese. The next meeting of the
plotters was arranged for March 12 whilst the Coup direct
was staged for the early morning of March 13. At the
request of Kiang Sung-dau, another meeting was held at
4 p.m. March 12 who received from Li Ming-chung \$3,000.00

as an initial payment for the buying over of the Merchants

Volunteers together with documents appertaining to his

prospective post under the new regime.

Safety Bureau and members of the Municipal Police who had been previously warned regarding the march of events raided Rooms 29 and 34 of the Great Eastern Hotel, Kin Wo Kan, which rooms were being used by the plotters as their meeting place. The following nine persons were apprehended

At 4.10 p.m. on March 12 members of the Public

of appointment which incriminated the prisoners in a plot to
form a military unit to be styled "The South Eastern Self

in addition to the seizure of a number of shops and letters

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- 1. Lee Ming-tscong, a graduate of the Whampao Military
 Academy and an individual with a varied military career,
 who took part in the attack and capture of Shanghai in
 1927 when he was an officer of the 26th Army under
 General Chow Feng-chi (氏質文). Since 1927 he has
 been without employment, living in retirement in his
 native province, Anhui.
- 2. Li Sing-ngoh was at the age of 19 a liaison officer
 of the 19th Independent Brigade under Wu Pei-fu and at
 the time of his arrest was an inspector in the Kiangnan
 Arsenal.
- 3. Soong Suh-tsang was Chief of the Registration Department of the Kiangnan Arsenal.
- 4. Chow Tsz-zah after graduating from the Wen Chi University,
 Kiengwan, was appointed as postal and telegraph censor
 in the Defence Commissioner's Office, Kiukiang. He
 served with the 26th Army at Shenghai in 1927 and was a
 pawn under various military commanders until late in
 1930 when he fell out of employment and remained so
 until he became embroiled in the plot under review.
 - 5. Chou Keng-sung, graduate of the Military Academy of
 Tokio, after becoming staff officer under Yuan Shih-kai
 took part as a Colonel of artillery in the revolution of
 1911. He has been unemployed for the past few years and

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	has taken no part in the recent internect	ine wars to which		
	the country has been subject.			
	6. Iung Ngoh-ding, a man of limited educat			
	some months ago a member of the Salt Smug			
•	7. Wong Zoong-zung, employed up until the time of his			
	arrest as a military instructor at the Great China			
	University. At one time an officer in Feng Yu-hsiang's			
	8. Sung Ngoh-su at one time a customs clea	ek at Hwaien.		
	until the office was closed by order of the Ministry of			
	Finance in 1930, when he came to Shanghai and resided			
	with his son-in-law at 111 Jessfield Road.			
	9. Tsang Ming-yuen, graduate of the Tokio Wilitary Academy			
	took part in the revolution of 1910 and was afterwards			
	appointed Chief of Police at Chinkiangpu.			
	He led a varied career in a number of m			
	until 1928 when he came to Shanghai and			
	until he was approached by the members of			
	Eastern Self Defence Army, 1932.			
	Among the documents seized at the	Great Eastern		
	Hotel on March 12th, was an instruction	or proclamation		
	issued by the Field Headquarters of the	South Eastern		

Self Defence Army, setting forth the aims and ambitions of that organization and stating who were to be the heads of the various offices and groups.

Another set forth all the addresses of important offices established and controlled by the Municipality of Greater Shanghai.

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Arsenal. He had no military career.

Zau Wei-sien (), 19 years of age and apprentice

mechanic in the Kiangnan Arsenal.

Soong Suh-piao, (), an official of the Kiangnan

From statements offered by the accused it was
learned that the Public Safety Bureau and the offices of

the various organs of the Municipality of Greater Shanghai were to be taken over and occupied by the South Eastern Self Defence Army at a set time on March 13th whilst the

Volunteer Corps were to be the nucleus of the new army. \$100,000 and 2000 rifles were to be supplied to the two

members of the Public Bafety Bureau and the Merchant

units, and an assurance that all who took part in the

Coup d'Etat were to be retained for service under the new

regime. The new army when formed would be commanded by

General Chow Yeng-chi who according to the statement of

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	the 1st and principal accused Li Ming-tsoong engineered
	the plot under the name of Li Ngoh. General Chow Feng-chi who at the time of the plot
	resided at 146 Rue Pere Robert is notorious for his
	treachery against Lu Yung-haiang, Tuchun of Chekiang in 1927
	and later for his betrayal of Sun Chuan-fang to the Nationalists
	who appointed him to the command of the 26th Army, which
	occupied Charei and Parshan. Chou was always a doubtful
	quantity in the eyes of Chiang Kai-shek and it was not
	surprising when he was later relieved of his command. He
	was next heard of in December, 1929 when his plans to
	effect a coup d'etat at Hangchow went wrong and he was
	forced to flee. Chow has lived on political and military
	intrigue for the past 25 years and according to the statement
	of one of the prisoners was considered by the plotters as
	a very suitable man to engineer a coup of this description.
	The eleven prisoners charged with Insursection
	under Att. 103 of the C.C.R.C. appeared before the Kiangau
	High Court on March 15 and were, with the exception of
	Zan Wei-sien, extradited together with the literature
	seized, to the Chinese Authorities. Zau Wei-sien was ordered
	to find shop, security to appear when called upon by the
	Court.
	Acting upon information obtained from the prisoners'
	and the documents seized, the Public Safety Bureau obtained a
	search warrant for No.744 Sze Wei Li, off Seymour Road and
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who resided at the aforementioned address. Telang was arrested on March 18 and in his room were found \$1,000

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	and a large number of letters. Tsiar i he had been
	employed under the Imperial Governmentina as the
	President of the Judicial Yuan, Booch the time of
	the 1910 rebellion he offered his ser secretary to
	Sung Trh-chuan, then Tuchun of Kiangs coceeded with
	the him to attack on Nanking. He later bof cretury to a
	succession of Chinese Presidents and a tt a short time
	in Tokio some 19 years ago when he walhi ntendent of
	the Chinese students at the Tokyo Mil ademy. During
	his stay in Japan he is reputed to hain e friendly
	with a number of highly place Japanes als. One
	Japonese named D. Yamamoto he visited daily during
	the month prior to his arrest. In 1theng was arrested
	by order of the Nanking Garrison Commind connection
	with an attempted Coup d'Etat and the las ow of General
	the 20th
	Army Corps stationed in Hupeh. Follows arrest he was
	arraigned before the Kiangsu High Cour rch 21 and 23.
	the Court ordering his extradition on the ter date.
	The nine psisoners arrested lithreat Eastern
s.	Hotel on March 12 together with Tsiang the have been
	remitted to Manking where they are awa rial by a
	Military Court. The statements made biret prisoners at
	the time of their srrest are attached
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The following is the statement of Lee Min Tsong (
native of Anwhei taken by mc D.I. Ross.
at Louza on the 12.3.32 and interpreted by Clerk Zung.

My name is Lee Min Tsong (345), 29 years of age and a native of Hu-wei ER Hsien, Ammhei. I am married and have four children. My wife and family are at my native place. I studied for a number of years at a private school in Hu Wei. On attaining the age 21 I came to Shanghai with the object of visiting a relative hamed Van Ngoh Ling to Chief of Staff to General Lu Tung Hsieng (高元本). I was unable to find him so I called on a friend of my father named General Ching Ngoh Tseng (主艺·规), in General Lu Yung Hsiang's Army; who lived in the neighbourhood of the Head Post Office. The exact address I am unable to recall to memory. On the recom endation of General Ching I proceeded to Canton where I entered to Whangpos Military Academy. In this institution I studied infantry manoeuvres for about three months when I was campalled to discontinue owing to sickness brought on by the unfercurable climatic conditions. The president of the academy was General Chiang Kai Shek. I then returned to my native place and lived with my parents who are still alive. My father's ness is Lee Toung You (5 15/1). " is not connected with my political party and is a principal shareholder in a steam Lauret seapony, Semetine later I went to Butte, "maini to enter the employ of the Tues Li (12 21) Good Mining Co. as ancistant manager. In this concern my father holds shares to the expect of thirty is bits aspectly I nected mill

the purchase of drainage machinery. During my visits I used to reside at the Wei Tsong (+) Hotel on Hankes Road. In Wuhu I was on friendly terms with Lee Ts Yuan (\$312), magistrate chairman of the Huh Wei KE P Fellow Countrymen's Association in Wuhu, but I never met any persons belonging to any military or political circles. Following the closing down of the mines I returned to my native place where I remained for about one year during which period I visited Wuhu at irregular intervals for the parpose of calling on friends and relatives and in connection with the affairs of the mine. As this time I was 28 years old. On the 2nd day of the 1st moon 1932 (February 7. 1932) I left home and proceeded to Chi Tung () island near daimen (15/7), in response to a letter from a villager named Kwei Ts Kwong (32 194), who is the chief of a Police detatchment at Chi Tung. I proceeded via the following route: From Wuhn to Manking by steamer, thence by rail to Manziang where I alighted: by boat to Lection (k k) and after walking to Liuho () [7) completed the journey to Chi Tung by boat. Upon arrival I was met by Kwei. I lived with him for twenty days and as he was unable to assist me to seeme employment I returned to the mainland in company with one Tecong Ming (D)), a training officer in the Chi Tung Police, who was proceeding to Shanghai for the purpose of mking some purchases. The letter I had received from Keel was left at Chi Tung, and prior to my departure Keel gave me \$50. We landed at Linbo and proceeded to Henzlang. Here we obtained a lift in a Red Gross car as far as Chanju, At this place we stayed one night and on the fallowing day continued our journey to Shanghai in company with a keeps scalie who acted as guide, On arrival in the force Road district us areased the Creek (Seecher) and entered into the dettinuout, deep re-parted pay of these guilds after paying him do wate. The and I won't be the Things Stone (201)

Avenue Joffre, where we rented a room in Tsong's name, for one day. The date of our arrival in Shanghai, was on the 2nd day of the 2nd Moon, 1932 (March 8, 1932). During the afternoon of this date I was loitering on the footpath outside the lodging house when I observed a kingman of mine named Lee Ngoh (F \$ walking along the same footpath in a westerly direction. I approached and stopped him and after conversing together on general matters we entered the lodging house. The last time I saw Lee was at my native place about 3 years ago, and I had no idea that he was in Shanghai. At this time Tsoong was absent, he having gone out shopping. I told Lee about my visit to Chi Tung and my unsuccessful search for employment. After hearing my stary he instructed me to remove to the Wei Tsoong () hotel on Hanking Road and rent a room there. At the same time he handed me \$100 to meet any expenses I may incur. I this immediately wassted the Toong Chong and went to the Wei Tsoong, but as I was unable to get a room at this place I then tried the Great Eastern Hotel, where I rented room No.29 at a rate of \$8 per day. Later I also rented room No.34. Both recas were registered in my name. After removing from the lodging house on Evenue Jeffre I never sew Tacong Ming again and I believe that he has returned to Chi Time, As I could not rent a room at t the Wel Toomg hotel I shalked a mes age on the hotel notice board for the information of Lee Ngoh, who had planned to visit me, that I had gone to the Great Eastern Hotel. About two hours after routing rom 29 at the Great Restern Hotel wee Ngoh called upon me. He told me about the inefficiency of General Chiang's government and the mesonsity of establishing a self defence force to protect Chinese territory and in this sommetion he bud received fastructions from the Canton ground enthericing the to open too the South Enthern Bald Dates. (1) (6) (2) Line Was talk to the 1 to 100 Lines ------IL DE COLUMN TO THE REAL PROPERTY.

where its headquarters were located. He said that he had been appointed Commander in Chief of the South Eastern Army but did not however, produce any documents regarding his appointment. He produced two chops one large and one small, bearing the characters Commander in Chief South Eastern Delf Defence Amy (全和句話章). Sometimes he left them in a drawer in a table in the room and at times he took them away with him. Le visited me frequently at irregular intervals and on one occasion spent a night in the room. He brought several paper bundles to the hotal containing documents relating to letters in of appointment for the posts of officers in the South Eastern Self Defence Army. He also broug t several falgs wrapped up in parcels. He when when did not offer me any appointment but I was hoping to receive a post as staff officer. He told me to receive callers to collect mail matter and to allow no strangers to enter the room and to keep a careful watch on the documents and the contents of the room, he did not promise me anything in return for my services and had engaged me simply because I was unemployed Among the visitors to room 29 was Wong Ming (AM) the Chief of the the Main Police Squad of the Shanghai Public Safety Bureau. He only visited this room on oneccession. This was on March 11. 1932. Weng Wing had been appointed commander of the 3rd Division of the South Eastern Self Defence Army, He told Lee Brok and syself that the policemen under his commend would be incorporated in the proposed 3rd Division. Whom Wong Ming salled he was accompanied by Klang Sung Den (3-44). Chief of the let Sound of the Hantoo Pollon, Wong Zoong Zung (2 4 1-) (is quitely), a military training officer of the Great China University during the past two years, and one less til Ven (DEA) where compution I do not know. When Wood Hing Alconsoid with her light about the breasformation of the Santag Pillian into the Res. Divine on of the Sauch Leaving Sail Defea المراجعين والمتابط حال بالمثل طبط ويلا والكبر ومالك

entertain Wong Ming and Wong sxfrient men to a dinner party. Mothingparticular was discussed at the subsequent dinner. Lee Mgoh did not attend.

At 8 a.m. to-day Harch 12 Kiang Sung Dau. Wong Zoong in Zung (mgcustody) and Zau Yih Van came to room 34 which was also opened by me on instructions from Lee Ngoh. Wong Zoong Zung then came to Room 29 and asked Lee Egoh to go to Room 34, but Lee told me to go on his behalf. I went to Room 34 and asked Kiang Sung Dau (3-13) if Wong Hing had made any demands. Kiang said that he had and then wrote down the following three demands:-1) Payment of \$100.000.

- 2) Supply of 2,000 rifles.
- 3) No dismissal or change of the present staff of the Public Safety Bureau.

I then took the demands and showed them to Les Egob (方裝) who was waiting in Rosm 29. Les Egob wrote the following reply:--

- 1) Payment of \$50,000 after one week.
- 2) Supply of 1,500 rifles.
- 3) Fully accepted.

I handed the amount to Kinng who them demanded that \$16,000 be paid on March 18. Lee Ngah provided to pay \$3,000. on the aftermean of the same day. At 2 paid, Kinng Sung Dan, Yong Zoong Zong (in custody) and Lan Illa the case to Roan 34 Shortly after their arrival, Form Sg Ruh(S ? 2) (in emetody), who had been sent by Lee Ruh, sine case to Form 34, and handed ever to Einey \$3,000. Kinng them gave Tring a recently for this amount bearing the eigenture of Yong Eine. Upon 2 contring the recently, Einey told Trees that Sung Ming would come to see Lee Ngoh and all Lee's non at 1 pan, March 12. Leave province the

(After the completion of the above, Les Min Tsoong made the following statement which differs mith somewhat with his original).

Li Min Tsoong is may real name and I have never at any time used any other name.

School then located at Hushow (169 17). Chekiang. I completed my course in 6 months and was then appointed Commander of the 5th Rettalion of the Chekiang Guerrilla Troops stationed at Huchow. This post I held for about four months after which I proceeded to my mative place. After staying at home for about one year, If left for Canton to enter the Whangpoo Military Academy. I remained there about 3 months ami then returned to my mative place swing to illness. I stayed at home until the 16th year of the Republic (71927) when I came to Shanghai and Joined the 26th Army, under General Chow Yong Chi(18) A. A. Casaminder of the Supplementary Regimes then stationed in Chapsi. I and my troops assisted in discussing the Labourers' Appy in Chapsi in 1927.

About June, 1927, Comermi Chow Yong Chi resigned owing to a diversion of against with Comermi Chinng Kai Shok; I also resigned, and returned to my native place in Anheroi, and engaged in the Sections I have mentioned in my provious statement.

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and Chow Veng Chi are the one and same person.

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Clark Line Chung-chien

by name to Li Sing Mgoh (in), alles Li San Trong (李红智), notive of this ching (機長.) in the prevince of I am 38 years old. I am married and have one son I ambite son of Li Treu Chin who is now with my wife in Roman. (玄孝書), who was a mod cine deser in Hankow and who died 10 years ago. My mother lives at this Ching. At 8 years of age, I commenced my education under a private tuitor until I as 19 yearsold when I obtained an appointment as Lisison Officer of the 18th Independent Brigade under Su Pei Fu at Ichang which I retained until I was 27 years of age. I then secure an appointment with General Year Son (格林) as officer of the Administration Department ofhis force. I half the letter position for four years and then went to reside in Hankow for three years dust ng which time I sus unemployed. In the . following your (1928), I was appointed an Inspector of the Administration Office of the 2nd Special District (Makengue formerly Russian Compression) of Hardrow mindestrokism. At that time Soong Sib-pine (宋式 1, the is now a lef of the Rightman Arvensi, was in charge of the Office. About eight months later that office was abeliahed and in consequence, I found my self out of employment but continues to live in Henkow, In 1930 I was appointed Chief of the Inspection occion of the 2nd fee Ming Pailing Studies (Plant Station M the line buyer Resident to Particular White products I only

Commander of the 28th Division, a former acquaintance, offered me a position as a military advisor. The the intentions of seekingthe assistance of Soons sib-piso (R XII), to find me a more lucrative position I came to Shanghal at the beginning of December, 1931, and mesessed in being appoint a an Impector of the Riangmen Aresnal at a salery of \$80.00 per man member. On my arm val in Shanghal I took up residence alone at No.7 Sau Tuh Pong (2 1817), Sau Chapsal, Fronta Concession. I still retain my position in the Himsean Aresnal and under the instructions of Scong Sib-piso supervised the removal of the machinery of the Himsean Aresnal to Hangehow. Soons Sib-piso left for Banking on the evening of March 11 by the steamer "mach".

these I set in Hesitou about five years ago and sho at that these was Staff Officer of the 25th Division, under the essent of Chen Ming the, came topy home and invited so to dimer at 1.30 p.m. Harch 18 in the hall of the Great Eastern Hetel and at the same time he informed so that he would give so a job the mature of which he did not mention but I understood that it would be a position in military circles. At 9 s.m. Ruth 12, reasy N ng Yean again came to my home and mentanded so of my appointment and I agreed to go. At 1.20 p.m. I said my friend forms atherems, a trother officers Mineraly sand by riented to have a facility of the desire at the facility of the desire of the desire

named two men were introduced to me by Teans Ming Yuan. Stortly afterwards we five men went to the ground floor of the hotel have tiffing During the tiff in Tsang & ng Yuen and Li Hing Tooms and we are going to organize an army and requested the help of the remainder of the operany. They further stated that the proposed army would ask t the 19th Route Army to resist Japan. After further unimortant conversation we all left the dining room and went unstains to the case floor where we entered another room the manhor of which I do not know. On extering the room Trang King Yuan and Li Hing Soong asked the boy to serve tos and While this was being done oneman dressed in cigarettes. a khaki uniform lanket (Home Zoone Zung (£1412)) care in and said to Id Mine Soong "Our men are coming" and then left. The police arrived immediately afterwards and arrested every one in the room

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Soong Sth Reang (宋末璋)

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Ny mame is Soong Sih Teang (宋文章), whise Soong Railing (宋孝良). I am 28 years of age and a native of Changcha, Runa. I am marrie. andhave one son sho lives with my rife at Changsha. I am chief of the Registration Department of the Kiangman Arsenal.

At 7 years of age. I commonoed my education in a primary shool at Chapelus and after studying there for 5 years I continued my studies in the Minn Tuh University at Mankow which I attended for 9 years studying literature. on areduating I returned to my native home and stayed there for 3 years maintaining my-self on property left by my Pather who died when I was & years of uge. At the end of that period I went to Hankow where I obtained employment as a clerk for 2 years with the Sumicipal Council of the Russian Concession. On leaving the employment the Municipality of the Buselan Concession I became chief of the Correspondence Department of the Hupen Provincial Benk, Hankow for 8 months I then took over the position as ender of the First Department of the Saltpetre and Salphur Bureau of laspeb Frowince at a calary of \$130.00 per menses which I retained until April 1031. I then returned to my home at Changeha and in July of the some year I went to Ruling in Elukiang to undergo long treatment which lasted two months. In September 1951 I went to Hanking to visit my brother Boong Sin Pico sho was that vice-minister of Berithman, At the end of September 1001 I such to thought and took up residence at the Quanquite Longing Source, San De De Principale, Principal Conservation.

October 1, through the influence ofmy bro ther Soong Sin Piso (宋美嘉)。 I obtained my present position in the Kimgnan Aresnal. On August 11, I removed to St Sing King Tsums Alleymy (武泉), Rue Bronier de Montmorand.

on the afternoon of March 11, I waited my friend Liu Tax Hing who is a great friend and confident of Doc Yustsung and wang Ching Toong and sho lives at 95 Young Yul Li (永程里), Rue Porte de L'Ouest, andthere met Tsang Ming Tue (限号起) the was introduced to me by Lin Ter Hingh 种理衣 On lead noths red dense of Lie Ter Ming. Trang MingTuan meked me to meet him at the Great Mastern Hetel, Room No. 29 the eme evening aid I agree to do so pavided I had the time. owing to the heavy rains that evening, I did not is so the About 10 and to-day (March 12), I received arcointment. a note from Towng Ming Youn Room No. 20 Great Eastern Botel, ing ting so to tiffin at 12 moon. I book a riceha to the Great Restorm Hotel emigrocop of direct to Been 29 there I saw Tomas Mingram a did Sing Rob. Later Li Hing Tocom autone managi Tenu gerived and were into duced to m by Trans. Him: Frant. Il sing freeze then addressing the people in & o room stated that he was going to organize a Relf Defence Apprend aried the help of these property. The new e of the army, its presenters or its supporters more and mentioned. We then perceded to the ground finer effth hitel when we had tiffin and during the m all neithfar sur a

I only stayed a few moments and then went to the barber's. On going back after an absence of one hour to Room 29, I found about six persons mong whom were Trang Ming Yuan and Li Singkoh. I seated myself in a corner of the room and observed that the table was covered with papers. I heard one man dressed in a Maski colours uniform, song Boong Eung(I (4/2), say to Li Hing Stang that every thing was ready and they were going to the Bunici pelity of Greater Shanghai to-marrow morning, March 13.

A few minutes later the police arrived and arrested every one in the room.

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Chou Taz-zah

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March 13

D.I. Sih Te Liang

My name is Chou Taz-zah. I am 29 years of age, "ative of Cheking, and reside in room 33 Dah Zung lodging house. Houte Chancel. French Concession. I graduated from the Wen Chi University. Kiangwan, in 1926 and went to Kiukiang where I was employed as postal and telegraph censor by the Kiukiang Defence Commediamer's Meadquarters. I held this post for three months at the end of which period the Defence Comwissioner and his troops neved to Chuchew, Chakiang, where they were reorganized and styled the 25th Revolutionary Army, commanded by General Chew Fong-chi. I was appointed officerin-sharge of the felograph Section of this army. In Pebruary 1927 the army arrived in Changhai where I smintained my position until October of the same year following the resignation of Chou Forg-chi. I then went to Foschow and and there was appointed Chief Detective to the Salt Transportation Hureau. I held this post until March 1928 when I resigned following the Chief of the Bureau, Ying S Il (#1 / 4 ff.) giving up his appointment. I came to Shoughai there I remined without employment until June 1929 when I was asked by Chang Time-fan through my friend semed Jok Joung form (T b) the ferrorly period as a Battalion Commander under Chang Ting-fan, to nonict kin. Chang Ting-fan in the espiolity of a secret representative of 14 Sympoles is houghed, appeared thing Salestoth's distribute. This west nakoul was month labor whom thong Mangadia Jack for Conton From April to detailer 1980 I ameliated thoug language (14.24) The Property Add Lawrence

Tu-hainng, in Shanghai, in conducting an anti-Chiang Kai-shek movement. My assistance consisted of writing letters, deciphering order and negotiating with the Shanghai representative of the Canton army. These efforts were without suscess. From October 1930 until the present I have had no employment, depending upon my relatives for my upkeep. My father is Chou Foh-tsing (A MAN), manager of the Hung Ta Tuang Cetten Mill, Markham Bend. He, my father, and all my relatives are in Mangaham, where they went at the commencement of the Mino-Japanese hestilities. I have been effered a post as City Magistrate by the Chaklang Frevincial Soverment but I have declined ewing to my heart being weak.

In 1987 I not 14 Ming-towns (\$465) at a dissorry party given by a Spiced when 14 claimed to be a commander of the 3rd Miviales of the 37th Army. Fellowing that occasion we not account times and the acquaintanceship meaned to drup so us now nothing of each other. On the magniful of 7th of this mouth he next a certic to my home mating no to go to the Tung Glong Ledging homes, Avenue Feffrey many Res Chapenly. As meaden was given for the request. I thought the request a little statemen but investibalized I want to the Tung Glong Ledging homes the man day at about 10 a.m., and not 14 Ming-toing alone the facility of the managements had been made described the homes will of the managements had been made described the homes will of the management of Juddic School and he will be the management of the management of the m

is. I did not ask Li king-toong who he, Li Menuh, was no the matter was strictly secret. Li Ming-tsong told me that he wanted the service of people with diplomatic qualifications to assist in establishing understanding with the local representatives of the Fereign Pewers. I premised to find such a person for him. I then west (on Barch 8) to see General Cheu Pang-shi at 146 Bas Para Rebert and explained the matter to him, telling him what I wanted. General Chou appeared to be acquainted with the plot as he never put any questions to me. I want to "amount Cheu Fong-chife house again on the morning of March 9 when Seneral Chou said he had noon Wellington Ino who gumntions with the aim of an army ecuposed of merchest relunteers and palice to defend shates as the Japanese would not attack such a force in that it would not by termed military. On the morning of imreh 10 Li Mineteeng again sent his coulie to my ledgings informing me that he and removed to the Great Mastern Metal. I wont there the same day at 9 s.m. when I saw Li Ming-toong the introduces me to two others in his room. These men were named Shen Zeh-chou (高塔洲), a training efficer of the Bureau of Public Safety, and your line (3 /), a military training officer of the Great China University. I informed them of Seneral Charts interview with hr. Williamten See whereupen Shee expressed his willinguess to entry on the expaniention of the present any. I then withdrew as I thought they wanted to discuss secret military matters. I then went to the home of Congres. Ches Peng-ski to inform him that is Ming-toung bad

decided to put his plans for the organization of a defence agray into execution.

On March 11 (at 5.30 p.m.) I went to the Great Rastern Metel where I saw Li Ming-toong who introduced me to Moung Ming. Chief of the Recerve Unit of the Public Safety Bereck. Amag Ming expressed his desire to be asseinted Mivisional Commander kaming sels control over the Public Mafety Durous to which Li Ming-toong agreed to the condition that by the might of March 12 the Defence Army whould be formally established and that the flags of the Amy be helsted at Matee. Hung Hing premised to give an answer personally at \$ a.m. March 12. In the room there were two others; one was Bong Ling and the other named Aso, brought by Hunng King. I left at 5.40 p.m. while the four persons were taking disser. Il Ming-toong told me he was in the region of one in Manch. Id Ming-tong did not may who in Bush was or that recommendation he, Ming-tours, would receive.

At 9.45 a.m. March 18 I went to the Great Anatorn

Botol and found Li Ming-toong, Fung Ling, Inc and another

Chinese when he introduced to me under the same Mang Sungtwo (元本所) as Group Communion of the Account Unit, the

latter two representing Mang Ming. Li then tald so that

Romag Ming and count toose two representatives here and

demanded \$100,600,00, 2,600 rifles and free appulational for

himself in the unit of division under him, that he had agreed

to give 1,000 rifles and pay 180,000 respectively in ten or

seven days time after the imagemention of this army, and free me continued these conditions and another appeintment. Meanwhile I saw Li helding a paper slip pontaining on 1tem intimisting that F100,000 as revard and expenses would be given to Manag immediately on the day following the imposuration of the eror. These two aline were subsequently handed to Kinny Sung-tac. Li further instructed them to ask Bong Ming whether he accepted these conditions or not, thereupen Blong intimated that Ronny would nest probably accord them, both to defror the expenses in starting the movement at 9 pers March 12. Hang demanded that \$5,000 he immed to them at ease. If Ming-toping agreed to pay \$3.000 but asked them to consult with Monny Ming first, whorewes Henr Suns-toe and Your Ling left with the two chits. while me remined in the letel. If Ming-toong having no money, assembled with me and in assessment & proceeded to Ohou Peop-off did to home whose I agricul at 10.30 a.m. I applicated to then the situation and them premierd to apply to Dr. Kee for engistance and instructed me to return for reply as hour later. After having spont on hour in visiting friends, I returned to Chert's home. Then gave me 33,000 in motor which he said was obtained from No. Non. I brought the \$5,000 to front Austern Subst where I reached at shout 12-40 a.m. I say Li Mica-toons in Rean 26. Then he teld so that Sang Mag had agreed and I told him that \$3,000 had been brought hepe; I then handed the many to Ma, shapened up west to Mass 34 shape I found that Many and Store had both released. Many beloning him with and lather east. If May-lang that hands the many to

King Sung-too who placed the notes on a table. was placing the notes into a leather case. Zee had a rough check of the noton. Li then in the processes of Mang and others. handed me the receipt of \$3,000 as food money for the Mivision oigned by Harry Miles. Subsequently Klang announced that Thug Him would come at 4 pan, the some day to have a last discussion on the anticr and to fix the time for the starting of this moreover. (Many, Inc and Work Ming then left. I remined and took tiffin in the Dising Seem with Li. one witness person, and one Charg Miss Yosu, when I know on my visit to the Clark Barbara Botal. through the introduction of Id who described him so this for Staff. I do not know when he extered this room. I returned to how 54 at 4 none with a view to learning the secult of coning discussion by Russe Mine and found 14 King-toong and Ino and two unknown persons, one of when was writing. I then exhad Li whother Brang had come or not. If did not give a clear reply. A for memorie later The Latte I then informed 14 of a popert to the effect that the Oblacce authorities weeks take special presentions to-wisks for they had received information shout percible surfaint by dent bee english soit that the test seathful foreigners, errot with pictules errorted us. They expected car mersons and the reas.

Chou Keng-sung (月幹日)

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Glork Mao

My name is thew Keng-zung, aged 55, native of animei. & em married and reside with my wife sud daughter at 86 Yung Hea M. suo Brenier de Sontmorand. I had four children, three sons and a daughter. For of my sons are dead. My second sed was killed last year in Klangel when serving in General Sung Lien-chen's army operating ag inst the Commists. My third son who was a sub-and Mentenant served in the 87th Division of 5th Foute Army and was recently killed near Kiangsan whilst operating against the Japanese I was informed of his death by my eldest son needd Chow Trahsang (日多男) who is a secretary employed by the Aublic Safety Aureau 5. Talogtae. I was bern at machine Hanshow Animol where my father sas as officer i the Imperial Army. Then six years of age I commenced my education under a private buter engaged by my family and studied under him until I was 17 years of age. I then thing the sperial willit by School at Mas Jan (1) 3/5). Chibli and six years later was chosen with 53 others on the instructions of hum Shih-kal to continue my military studies at the Military Assdemy, Tokio. I attended the Military Assdemy at Tokio for three years and returned with the 53 others to The tain Wiere I see appointed Shaff bfficer under hun white-st. I was then 25 yours of age. After servicing in my latter enjoying as Staff officer for mix souths I was transferred to the 15th brigade of the In ortal Porces stationed at Chan Hog-fo, Cathile. One year later the 18th Artyada was Angustation to Catalyting (M μ), poor Atomyrab, Sidnessa.

Four means lat r I was appointed Colonel of the Artil City Battalion of the 13th Brigade and 12 months afterwards was promoted Commander of the Artillery aginent of the same brigade. In the year of the Nevol tion (1911) the 18th Brigade of the Amperial Forces was reorganized into the 10 to Davision of the army of the Chinese Republic and still remainer at Chin siang (36 /2). Four years later when Fong Uahtsenr (2802 was silitary Covernor of Mangan Sportinge, the 19th Division was transferred from Giln Finng to Sanking Where I served with it for one year and was then granted extended leave owing to sickness. I returned to my native home at Buistow and six weeks later was appointed whief Steff of Acer of the Special District of Talen Yuan (1 1) North West of Chihli and Borth Shaust. I held this prointment for the year and retired to live in Peking. I lived in Peking for two years and when Lie Toong-heising was appointed willtary Covernor of Cheking Province he invited me to serve as his private counsellors which positi n I held for three years and was then appointed by the fovernment as Chief Staff Officer to in Woong-haising. I held this position for wo years and retired issedictely prior to the utbresk of hostilities between the foress of in Toong-haising and Grid. Sib-yuan (Cheklong - Kiangsa Civil Far) to live in Yatas Rd, (I can ot recollect the number of the house) Shangest for two years. During the period of my stay in dangled I was not engaged in any activity whatenever. I was appointed advisor to the feeling Opposite and Aprived in a still by aspectity

for the year at the end of that time I tro git my family to Mangual where they took up residence at a Fu Rung 11/1/2/1. bue Fere Robert and I returned to Tientsin to under, o medical treatment but edeasionally returned to dranghal to vis-it my featly. I removed from 5 he wang id, the serell severt to my prided address about six years ago. Suring the time I lived at Tientsia I was not employed 1 any outposty as I suff red f om lang trou le and all my friends ama retired from active service. I returned to Emmgadi at the end of Poyember 1951 and have remained here since. During the time I was nothe service of in loong-hainng about 9 yes a ago, I not sung Bron-mu (18 34). then employed as an Insector in the hungaren wint, and we became friends since that time. Sung Rgob-su has been under me at vacious intervals as a student. He lives on Jessfield head and visits me fromently about 12 com to-day, Sung Ngoh-su case to my house and told me that Tsong Ming-yuan who was one of the 5- officers who went with me to the "ilitary Academy at Toxio, wished to see ne. I enquired of his where Toung Hing-wan was to be found and he replied "Boom 28, dre t Hustern Hotel". I then told Sung Sich-su that I anted to go to the Tab Boung Dong Fedicine Shop, Hanking Hoad and that I would visit foung sing-year at the seme time, and about 3 pen. Sung Agon-su and I left my house to go and perchase the medicine is took a so. 26 17 Pressur out at his de Baroko to the cort of Poodios and beking seeds shere we alighted, walked north towards Beaking wood and proce ded to Seem So. 80 Great Bastern Botel.

on entering the room, is as all lag-pass as not there interest the other gentlemen unknown to me were present. Except As duag ngon-su and I sat down, Tang Ming- who entered and after he enquiried if I had sat tiffin he gave me hour of tea. At the temperat sa the police arrived and searched me and then took we also the odders to owns Station. I won't to me breat Eastern hotel for no their purpose that to meet and sing-year for a friendly cast and if it is a ing-year or any other passes that and if it is a lag-year or any other passes that and if it is a lag-year or any other passes that any subversive activities I an oute willing to accept punishment.

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Clerk Leb Cel-Kong

Ay name is Tung Ngoh-ding, age 35 wears, and I as a native of Walna, inhered Province. I am married and my wife is at present in what. I never went to school and I am illiterate. I was a banker at my native place for 8 years. When I was 25, I joined the Walta Salt Smerling Prevention Corps as a Constable and stayed with this body until Jamuary 1, 1331 when it was dissalve . On January 15, 1991 (lumer calendar,, I went to Limbe and joined the Salt Samppling Prevention Corps there as a constable. I left Links on March 1, 1332 when the Ja amos Perces compled the place. I then took refuge at Seecher. I come to Shanghai via Sungkiese and Semester on March 11. I came to Shenghei to visit a man mosed Too Towne Tich who wo ried in Chapel. He was a serment to a Chinese family. I first met him in White where he was employed in a ci-ilar especity. I egain not him constined lost year when he came to Shanshai from Linho to make some purchases. I however falled to locate him. I then came into the Settlement at malked to Manking Road. At about 2 p.m. March 11. when I passing the Sweet Hoster. Hotel I not a was nessed Lee Mang-tecopy. I know this person in Paku where he kept a charcoal shop. I maked him when he esse to Shugial. He replied that he arrived from Make two days ago. He then questioned no shout aggelf on a I told him that I carried in Shanging on March 11. He then asked no to some into the hotel as it was raining.

I went inside with his to his room No.29. At 3 p.m. I left the hotel and to a bathquee but I do not remainber the name of the piece or the road. I returned to Lee's room at the hotel about 7 p.m. About y p.m. I and Lee went to bed. I got up at 8 a.m. on March la and went out alone to a foodshop near the hotal. About Ja.m. I returned to Lea's room and found that he ned got up. I then turned out as d walled about the hotel. I few minutes later 3 steer men entered tip room. I did not has these nea so I left the reon. I walked about the hetel until li a.m. when I saw the 3 men leave the room. I went back and saw Lee but he did not say anything. I left the room and erdered food which was served me in an uncompled room. I finished eating at 12 meon and went for a walk about the betal. About 4 p.s. ! sat enteide Lee's room No.29 and a little while later a Party of police of the Public Safety Bureau came. Therefook me into Room He.29 but there was no one inside. They tien searched as d arrested me.

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Wong Zoong-sung (2/4/2)

Kiangsu

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Louza Station

March 13

Clerk Chao Shih-chow.

of Kiangsu. I was married in 1923 but my wife died the following year. I have no children of my own but have an adopted son, aged 5 years, living at my native place, Tung Tai (). I am at present employed as a military instructor at the Dah Hsia University, Jessfield Road, where I live; my pupils being students of the university who desire to have military training which consists of drilling. In addition to my work as a military instructor I undertake voluntarily to give lessons in reading to young children at the Pei Ming Elementary School which is near to the Dah Hsia University. The body of students to whom I give military instruction are not an "Anti-Japanese and Mational Salvation Army".

I was born at Tung Tai Haien near Chinkiang. Between the ages of 12 and 15 years, I attended a small school at my native village after which I attended the Sing Taa (15 m) high school, also at Tung Tai, for a further two years, At the age of 17, on hearing that students would be accepted at Feng Yue Haiang's Military School at Kaifeng, known as the Honan Military School I proceeded to Kaifeng, where I learned that free fuition could be obtained on passing an examination in reading, writing and geography. I was allowed to sit at this examination and succeeded in passing. I entered the Honan Military School and studied for three years. On the completion of my studies I and some 500 other graduates were posted as efficient to Feng Two Haiang's Horth-Mestern Army and we departed with some

On arrival at Ling Hong, Fokien Province, we learned that most of the banditry had already been suppressed. I remained in the North-Western Army in the Fokien Province for about three About 300 of the years and then the army was disbanded. ex-granuates of Kaifeng Eilitary College then proceeded to Canton and I elected to go with them. The remaining 200 returned to their homes. On arrival at Canton I secured service under General Hau Taung-tee (光清) in his fisst Route Army as Captain. I proceeded with the Army to Pah Yuan San (日本山) and operated against General Chen Kwen-ming (troops. After a year's fighting General Chen's forces retreated to Weichow. The forces with whom I was serving followed them and the fighting lasted for another two years. engagement I received wounds in the legs, which necessitated my resigning my service with the 1st Route Army. On leaving the 1st Route Army I then came to Shanghai in order to receive medical treatment which was rendered by a Chinese doctor named Li Ling (whose office was in Avenue Joffre.

well again. I had a little money and I joined together with some friends and started a hotel which was named the Yuan Chow Hotel at Tung Shing Jan in the French Concession. After a few months the hotel proved a failure and I returned to my native place. I have not seen or heard of my shareholders since them. At Tung Tai (my native place) I lived for two years with my eléar brother named Wong Yien-ming (Ling). There I got married but my wife died about a year afterwards.

I was then about 29 years old. Not having any work to do at my home. I decided to go to Canton which I did and on arrival there I got in touch with General Chien Dah-chun (技)大街 whom I had known when serving with the lat Route Army. He sponsored my going to the Whangpoo Military Academy where I remained for two years studying military matters. went to Nanking and there met one Ho Min-yuin (ATELIA) a committee member of Klangsu Provincial Government. known him on my first wigit to Canton when he was the editor of a newspaper there. Through Ho King-yuin I obtained the position of chief of the Public Safety Bureau at Pei Heien (A) near to Manking. I did not remain there more than six months as my health broke down. I then proceeded to Poochen () near Pales and obtained the position of Chief of the Public Safety Buream there, but I was dismissed owing to a new and more influential man being appointed. to get in touch with friends at Shanghai I came here and stayed at the Woo Ping (Lodging House near Rue du Consulat. I stayed at the lodging house for three months but unable to find employment. I went to Hinghai where I obtained a position as police inspector through the help of Lai Kong (whom I had known at the Whangpoo Military Academy. I remained in this position for about two years, but on account of a change in the chiefs of the Public Safety Bureau, I lost my position and come to Shamphai again. On my return to Shanghai I visited a man named Scoop Torong-kin (水東九 on I had known in Canton on my first viels there.

at that time lived at 2 Ching Hai Li (SAEL) Rue Wantz and aided me to find my present position. He is now living at No. 22 Pac Jen Li, Avenue Joffre.

During May 1931 I visited the Great World with an old friend named Scong Toung-kiu who now occupies the position of Chief of the 8th Section of the Police Forces of the Shanghai Public Safety Bureau, and was introduced to one Kong Sung-dao (1714), a native of anhwei aged about 20 years. He is a subordinate official of the Public Safety Bureau being in charge of the 1st corps. There was no special purpose in the introduction other than friendship. I became friendly with Kong and we used to meet about three times a menth. Sometimes I went to Kong's house which was near the Mantae Public Safety Bureau and sometimes he came to see me at the Dah Hsia University. On account of danger occasioned by the Japanese advance I could no longer remain at the University and Kong told me I could take meals at his house. We have seen a lot of each other during the last few days. On one escasion when visiting Kerg at the Public Safety Bureau I was introduced to one Zau If-van (WE W) who is a teacher of a small middle school but I do not know where it is located. There was no object in the introduction other than friendship. I have not seen the latter very much except on occasion when I have visited the Public Safety Burous.

On March 11, I won't to Long Sung-dam's house for tiftin and just when we had finished Eus 15-year seed to com Name: Some convergentiate propositing & "Salf-Prophosition Garya"

took place between Kong and Zau and I became interested. Hong then maked said he had business at the Public Safety Bureau and asked Zau and I to accompany him there to meet an old friend named Fong Ming (). Chief of the Special Duty Section of the Nantao Public Safety Bureau. Accordingly we proceeded on foot to the Public Safety Bureau and Kong introduced me to Wong King. After the introduction was completed Kong, Zau and your tal had about the Self Protection Corps. I was told by Kong that the idea of the Self Pretection Corps was to defend Mantae against the Japanese invasion. Keng suggested that I accompany him to the Great Eastern Hotel where persons interested in the Corps met in Rooms 34 and 29. Accordingly Wong King, Kong Sung-dam. Zan Ih-van and I got into Wong Ming's private motorcar and preceeded to the Great Eastern Hotel. In Room He. 34 there were two men whose names I know to be Li Mingnoong (多数字.) and Yeang Ming-yuib 张职志。 I have known Li for about one year having been introduced to him by one Loo whom I had not when I was Chief of the Public Safety Bureau at Poi Haien. The introduction took place at the Hara Poh (# 30) Lodging House, Rue Brenier de Montmerand. I have khoum Chang King-yain for many years but I forget where I not him. For a long time we talked about the Self Protection Corps and preised the patriotic motives which actuated the proposed formation of the unit. We all then set down to disser. After disser was finished Yong Ming instructed Hong to go to the Poblic Safety Barean and Kong immediately left the room. Li Ring-seeng throughout the dinner and afterwards hope up a midpering

conversation with Wong Ming. At about 5.30 p.m. I was about to have leave when Zau Ih-van the me to go on the following to see Yong King at the Public Safety Bureau but did not say for what ourpose. I left the Great Mastern Hotel then and went to the Taung Miang Lodging House where I was staying on account of not being able to go to the University.

At about 7 a.m. We March 12 Zau Ih-van came to my lodging house is a riceha and asked me to accompany him to Kong's house and then go to see Fong King. I called a ricsha and we both went together to Kong's house where we have Breakfast together with Kong. After breakfast was finished we all walked to wong King's house but only Kong went inside the house. A little time later Kong came out and said that Yong Hing was not going to the Great Rastern Hotel but we could use his meter car. Accordingly the three of us get into wong King's motoreer which was indicated by Kong and we proceeded to the Great Eastern Hotel and to! Hoom No.36 when we got these we found that Teang Ming-yees was alreadin the room. Almost at the same time as we get there Li Hingtagong arrived. Keng told the company that he had been emihorized by Venz Ming to act so his representative and stated that rong King required \$100,000 to organize the "Solf Protection Corps". Tunng Ming-years and Inc Ming Tacong mentes that they did not have month mency at the time. Li King-tecong god Tenny King-your want entaids the room and in a few minutes purioused saying that built that sun could release to ten derre line

that enough money to purchase 2,000 rifles would also be required. Lee Ming-tsoong stated that he would raise enough money to purchase half the number of rifles required. Kong then stated that Wong Hing claimed the right to be made Chief of the 3rd Division of the Self Protection Corps. Tsang Ming-yuen then took a piece of paper and wrote out an acceptance of Wong King's demands. Lee King-chun then stamped the document with a seal in size about 1 inch by half an inch. I did not see the characters on the chop. Ming-chun then handed the document to Kong Sung-dan who put it in his pocket. Kong left the place a few minutes later saying that he would deliver the document to Yong King. A short time later Tsang King-yeen and Lee Hing-chun requested Zau Ih-van and I to go and find Kong and ask him to come and Accordingly we collect \$3,000 on behalf of Wong Ming. left the place and hired a public motorear in which we preceeded to Kong's house where we found Kong and the Kong said that three of us had tiffin together. Wong Ming would go to the Great Eastern Hotel at 4 p.m. that day. Having finished tiffin at about 1.30 p.m. Kong Sungdame. Zen Ih-was and myself went in a hired motorear to the Great Mastern Hotel, Kong saying that he wanted to collect the \$3,000 for Yong King. The three of us went to home 54 in which were Toung Ming-yeen and Lee Ming-income. told les that he had come for the memory for Young Ming and produced a receipt which he studed had been prepared by Youg Hing as per an arrangement. The requipt was given to

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Superintendent Robertson

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D. I. Sih Twe-liang

My mane is Sung Nyoh-su, 42 years of age, native of Hwalan, Flanger and am now residing at the home of my daughter at 111 Jessfield Road. I studied at home until I was 17 years of age when I opened a confectionary shop at my native place. After 2 years the shop was closed owing to bad business and I secured a situation as a clerk in the Customs at immian. I held this post until 1923 when I received a job as clerk in the Mint at liangehow which post I held for 3 years after while I returned home because my mother had died and again entered the Customs there as a clerk. retained my post until 1930 when the Swalan Cust ons was abelished by the Ministry of Finance. I remained in unemployed until January 1952 when I camete Shanghai and resided with my daughter and son-in-law was at / 111 Jessii ald Road.a fereign unoccupied dwellin where my somein-law is employed as a watchesa. Sires arriving in Shanghai I have had no employment and the only friend I have locally to thou Konge ming 用转居). who resides at 86 Rue Brenier de Hontmorand and was fermorly a Colonel in the Army at Evalue and at one time thief of Staff to La Tung-heimng, then Tuchum of Cheking, On the morning of Earch 10, I visited thou at ale here and there not one Toung Hingdomen (4 5 1) whom them introduced as a ferner school feller of his. The little compression which took place on this visit must have been of a general nature as I cornet rendsher that was said. I left then's houset shout 11 a.v. and again vicited him at 12 noon on North 12 when he informed no that blothing

a cadet in the 37th Division, have enkilled in action We went out for a walk about 3 p.m. and m rendiing the Greak Eastern hotel, Manking Road, Chou suggested to call on Tenng who, he said, was likely to be in room 29 of the Great Hastern Hotel. We accordingly went to the room and and a gam whom we did not known. He said his rame was Wong (E). Another can was cutside the doorencuiring what we wanted. On our telling him he requested us to take a seat and he would get Tsang. Shortly afterwards Trang appeared and while he and them were exchanging hourtesies a party of police arrived and arrested five of us, madely, Yong, Tsang, Chou, myself and the man who was just outside the door. I have no knowledge of any plan to negatize a new army. At no time did I hear Trang or Chok talk or such a matter. I have never taken part in political activities nor have I any party leaning. Although I me without employment I have property at livaion witch produces a revenue of about \$30. monthly.

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(Supt. Robertson)

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March 13,

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my some is Towns Ming-your () 1 hs 58 years of the. a mative of Hepsh (Bankew) and move resided for the past year is room 29, Jah Jung Lodging House, Has Chapeal, French Consecsion. Then I was 20 years of age I proceeded to Pokio where I studied for aix years in the military Academy, my fees being paid by General Teang Tra-dong, the then Governor of Happeh and Happe. I had passed the assessary exampleration which entitled me to the course at the expense of the Chinese Imperial Coverment. After graduating I proceeded to Poking whose I passed that Jos (4 1-) Degree is infantry knowledge. I was then appointed a Company Commader in the Repth Provincial Opverment. Two years later I went to Hadding and received an appelutment as Mattalien Commander with 500 treeps under my estuand. I resigned this post after one year and proceeded to Highles where I was appointed Counciller to the Military Training Papertment which post 1 held for a ix months. The Reveletion broke out at this time and I went to Shanghal where I received the appelatament as Senior Staff to General Lan Tion-sel (# 1 #) at that time Ogminator of the Revolutionary Person and presented to Chafee with the tweeps and musy. One mouth later (December 1911) I was appointed Military Community of Pungshould, which post I hald for only three months owing to its being discontinued so a result of the overthrow of the Chicag Dynasty. After booking ever by treeps to Vegeral Engy Seens (前意), a close accordate of Commit You Aut-Man, I returned to Shoughed (In April). After remining life in thought for

are mouth I presented to Chinkingou. Sorthern Kinagou. where I was appointed Chief of Staff to the Defence Commissioner and consurrently Chief of Police. I held this position for one year and eight months and left following the declaration of independence of Kianger against Year Subkni. Beturning to Shanshal I remined idle for four months after which I went to Police where I conducted an anti-Yuun Shib-kai compaign for two years. After the death of Yuan Shih-kei (June 1916). Li Yusu-hung was appointed President and I was made a Hilitary Communiller to him. This post I hold for one year. At the time theng Houn plotted to restore the boy Reserve to the Threne and because of this I resigned and wort to Shanghai where I remined unemployed for elekt months. I then went to Maissaft (Szeckusa and Report berder) where a revolution had been started by Ceneral Tang Ka-min (產艺用) against Tune Chi-jul and his Ant's aligue. More I hald the post of Sandar Advisor to General Page. I held this peet for three years under Generals Your Karala (產友月). Pa Tomes (和父教) and Ion Tion-wal (蓝大鼓.) in encounters. As our assy (anti-Antu) was defeated by the feroes of Content Wang Town-grane (F 1/2). Tusting of Supers I fled to Santor where I remained idle for eighteen months. After shieh I proceeded to Charrytha : I was appainted Military Advisor to thee Man-ton (述時). Bushins of Manna which part I beld for also morths. As Son those seed brooms to attack thee Marches, I west to there I remined 1000 for 18 months. I next went to

Manghang, Kiangsi, where on the instructions of Jun Yat-sen. I endeavoured to induse General Fang Peng-jen () Governor of Kiangsi Province, to attempt a coup detat against Wu Pei-fu. I did not succeed and returned to Shanghai where I remained without employment for about a year. My next move was to Anking (Anhui (where I became Chief of Staff to General Yen Te-chi (就是), Commander of the 2nd Training Division of the 10th Houte Army which post I held for five months after which this unit was reorganized into the 26th Division, 11th Route Army (Voteber, 1927). I continued to hold my post un er the new regime for about 6 months at the end of which period I resigned owing to the unit being in financial straits. At that time this unit was in Swatowe I again returned to Shanghai (April 1928) since when I have existed on my savings together with financial assistance from friends. About 3 days age, one Li Ming-tocong () came to my ledgings and invited me to take a batch at the Greates Eastern cotel. I accordingly went there about 9 p.m. and owing to the curfew was compelle to pass the night in the hetel. Buring my stay He Li expressed a desire to have my assistance in a plot he was planning in compliance with instructions from Ma Han-min. Dr. Wellington Kee, and General Chem Chi-tang (] []). President of the Kunngtung Provincial Government. The outline of the plot, Li Hing-teeong informed me, was the organisation of an army to be styled the south Basters Self-Defence Army to assist the 19th Houte Army in opposing

thiang hai-shok and resisting the Japanese forces. At also intimated that he had make arrangements with the Cafety bureau and the Hermants Valunteers for their assistance and cooperation li also stated that one Huang Ming (美), an officer so the Bureau of Public Safety had accepted a post o vivisio al come der i the proposci and anther can board fing (12). also of the bureau, had accepted a past as delenel. Abother member of the Safety Dureau, named Maing () is had secepted a gost as Brigadier. Li also confided that the main part of the plot was that the men of the Bureau of Public Sofe y and the merchants folunteers should form the nucleus of the Hew Army. I replied that I must give the matter full consideration before deciding is the matter of his request for my edvice. I visited the hotel again yesterday afternoon (march 11) when I met swamp king. Thile I was there ld king-toe mg banded swamp Ming his (Huang Ming's) letter of appointment as Germander of the 3rd Sivision is the new Assy. On this occasion id told me that seneral then ranget (ARec) our ranhum of Chekings was also a party to the plot and in all likelihood would command the new arms. Command Chou's propert whereabouts are makenous to me and I did not enquire from id on this painte On taking my departure from the wrest Masters notal, id begged of me to return and visit him again to-days about 11 asme to-day, I again went to the Great Heatern Metal where I see 14 in his room, Shortly afterwards two Chicago mused no (%) and Eang 1:2) seems to the moun and t to all down to station Li took from

a buidle of back rotes which he handed to Kiana who counted them and declared the amount as 3,000. As to the disposal of the monds I am not cortain if it went outirely to Miang or was shared between him and Chao, but it went to one or both of them. I did not pay close attention on this poi:t but I am certain the money did not go back to Li. Rinny as I stated before is a member of the Burbau of Jubbic Safety while Chao I understood to be his colleague who would be Chief of Staff to Humang Wing also of the Bureau, on his, Human's appointment in the new army. These two men immediately after tiffin left themstal, promising to return at 4 p.m. with human Ming. After their departure hi told me that hunns Ming was demanding \$100,000 for his applications in the plot-Owing to lack of funds hi could not meet this but had paid out the \$3,000.00 to Susing through the two men, Alang and Chao with a premise of 300,000 on the successful carrying out of the plot. Them I want to the room to-day there were is the reem three Chicase, two of whom I saw on my previous visit. Their names are is Bing-ages (134) and Boong Sen-tenning (# 17). After the departure of that and lang there was in the rome the two Chinese id Sing-ages and Soong Sub-tenting and specify id Ring-tenong having game to another room. At about 3 page two friends of mine amond them Hang-shen (月年1) and San Applican (14.35) once to the room to take a both on my invituation. Shout 4 pens about 14 Singgoe, Secret, then, Sun and special sero in the room, a party of Mandalyak Pakkan probable open the door and antered, the

person a wore searched as was also the roles the nimber of which I cannot remember. The reason why Li Ming-to-ong op, reached me a regard to the plot was due to the fact that he knew I had considerable experience in revolutionary matters and was a military expert. I promised help in an advisory capacity not for memotary gain, but simply because the movement had my sympathy as I am opposed to Chiang Anishek and his regime. I have known Li Ming-tao and for about two months. I first met him on the Chapsal when I was introduced to him by a friend semed Tong Ching-cha (1/3) who has now left Manghai and whose present whereabouts I do not know. After the mus Chapsal meeting I did not noe him to again until he was visited my lodgings three days ago.

Soong Pah Dau (16).

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Clerk K. o Yen-keng.

My name is Soong Pah-dau, age: 38, native of Changeha and married. At the time of my arrest, I was living at No.25 Sing Ning Taung (34 147), Mus Brenier de Kontmorand, with a relative of mine Scong slies Scong Chi-lieng (3 12) My mative address is Laung Li Z Kiengman Arsenal. (算集章), Toong Hyang (事解), Changsha. was a furmer in my mative place. Between 1926 and 1926 I was a member of the commissariat of the Tientsin Tex I left this position owing to the resignation of the Chief of the Bureau. In 1989 I became part proprietor of a bath house in Pangru (#114), Anhmoi. I left Pangen owing to the floods at that place which made business very poor and came to Shanghal on December 16, 1931 with a view to approaching Soong Sub-piec (), Director of the Kiangman Arounal Aftr alab. distant relative of wine. I lived in the Kiengnen Around after my estival in Shanshai until the beginning of Pelguary when I want to the above address in the French Concession following the outbreak of the Sino-Japanese bootilities. I did no work at the Arsenal nor at this latter I spent my time residing books and novels until March 18, when about 9,30 para members of the French Police seme to 26 Aing Hing forms (14 10 th) and appeared m . was later transferred to a police classes in the international I am not contenue in any schole of Society

came to the address in the French Concession nor were any meetings held there. I am not a member of any party or sect and my only desire was to secure a position in the Armenal.

(Signer) Soong Pah-Geu.

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Changeha, Hunen

Supt. Robertson

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U.I.Sih Tro-liane

My name is Zau Wei-rien (\$2%), 19 years of me, mative of Changhas, Munan and live at 26 Hain Min Tehung (& Rty) Fue Bronier de Montagrand, the home of my consin, Coong "yi-lieng (克子及) sho is in charg of the Registry office in Fignerian French. I myself am an apprentice mechanic in the Arsenal. In 1928 I studied in the Tahoo Yih (2 4%) Privary School, Changhas, for about 6 months. I was commelled to give up studies owing to the poor finencial st te of my family. At the beginning of 1929 I became en governtice in the Dah Kyih Riang Paper Shop, Changelu. I remained until Decomber, 1931 when my parents received a letter from my cousin Soong Eyi-liang asking that I came to Shanghal and work us an apprentice mechanic in the Arcenal. I arrived in Shanghai on January 25, 1882 and immediately commenced my apprenticeship. At about 8 p.m. Harch 12 when I was at home with my mother's brother Soons Peh-dau (16 10) a party of Police came in and searched the root They seized some letters and took us into enetody. Soong Sub-trang (RZ(II) alias Soong Kyiligng was not in at this time, leaving home at 12 noon, that day. Before his departure he told so that he wasgoing to call on some friend in the Great Eastern Hotel. did not montion the name of the friends nor the number of the role to which be was proceeding. During my stay in Soong's home I only new 5 or 6 thellows. I do not know their names but believe them to be employees of the Arecnal.

Tolang Ling-tolin (蔣明極)

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C.D.S.L.Mang

My same is Tsiang Ming-tsih (有用地), native of Yim Yang Msian (表), Czechuen. I um aged 58 years and married to Tsiang Tsang Sze, also a mative of Szechuen, who is at prepent staying in my native place.

I first went to School at the age of 8 years, when I entered a funity school in my native place of tinuing my education there until the age of 18. At the age of 18 years I took an examination, passed and become a scholar under the Cou-Tai (Foreign Enceledge) system which was introduced during the Ching Dynasty. I studied under a tutor in my native place until I was 28 years of age, when I proceeded to laking and there took on examination at the 2nd imperial Academy. On passing this experiention I was selected to became a civil officer under the imperial Government. I remained in Teking for a period of about 6 years alto ather and then was sent to decenow where I took over the post of Freeident of the Judicial Yuan. I netually took over the office in 1910 one year before the revolution. At the ottbreak of the revolution I took up the post of secretary to Sung Tuh-shuan (格德生) who was that time a Tresident of the Minness Province". I proceeded with him to the attack on manking which took place on 18th day of the 8th moon 1911. The seign of Angring lasted about one mouth then the helders gave in. With the fall of making ! left the employment of Sung Teb-chune and entered the service of Dr. Sus Yat-sen who had been selected temporary Provident and bad established his office in Sanking which

city had been chosen as the temporary capital. About one year after teking office as temporary president Dr. Sun Yatsen handed over office to Li Yuan-hung (程之序) who had been selected as the first grasident and who had established his government at reking. with the formation of the new government I left the services of Dr. Sun-Yat-sen and wont to roking, entering the services of it Yuan-hurg as his secretary and Political advisor. when Li Yuan sun; completed his term of office. I entered the service of Yuan ni-kai (表考机) who succeeded him. I remained in the employ of Yuan shih-kai (本世紀) as secretary and political advisor until his death, at which I took service in the same capacity with Feng Euc-teang (考图章). Feng's desth occurred about one year after he took office I therefore entered the services of Hew Sze-tsong, who was the next president. I did likewise and returned to my native place in Sz chuen. After being at home for a short period I re-entered the service of the Republic and took up the work as advisor to the offices of the ministries of Finance Education etc. During this period I paid numerous visits to my native place. I finally left the service of the government in 1929 when I made my last trip to reking. soon after my resignation I went to seechuen and remained there for about two years during which time I prepared manuscripts for books on politics, esementes, philosophy and law, I completed my work on the besks by the end of 1950. I loft Steemen in April, and proceeded to Heating at

the instance of Shin Tsung-loo (). Commander of the 4th Route Army in Kansu to ap ly to the Banking Government for funds for the 4th Route Army. I went to the military mesaquerters where I made application to Constal Chu Sei-teh (). Chief of staff. The spolication was coccuted out the funds at the time had not been raised. Ton days later after my arrivel in Banking I was prrepted by the Hanking Garrison Commender's Meadquarters on the charge of fabricating remours, starting agitation, and conducting subversive correspondence in a secret code and an attempted Coup d'Etat against General Aug Sze-tung) of the 20th arms vorps in Munch. I wen detained in Headquarters of the Garrison Commander for about 4 months On my release I took up residence in Menking, remaining there for about I mouth, then came to shanghed arriving here on November 23, 1931. I took a room in the Far Mastern Hotel and later moved to the Chai woh notel on Shibet Road. Later in the month of January I moved to my friend's house in the whih wel 11. No.744. Seymour Hoad. My friend Tonng Sze-sung () who resides at this address is essistant to the Commander of the Kiangen Bandit suppression Corps. Tsang told me that I sould have a room on the ground flow of Me.744 Shik Wel Li. Seymour Hood. Soon efter the start of the Sine-Japanese hestilities in manchai I went to see D. Yemmate at the Palece Hotel, Room 120 and acked him to render up your assistance in gotting some of my friends out of the Chapet area.

All my dealings with Japanese have been for the same purpose.

Hitherto I have exitted to state that about 19 years I was superintendent in Charge of Chinese students in Japan and whilst there I made a number of Japanese friends.

SHAMSHAI MUNISIPAL POLICE
C. 146. B. REGISTRY.
No. D 3369
Date 19, 4, 32

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Arrest of Revolutuionaries - rlot to overthrow Buresu of Fublic Safety and organize a new army

At 4.10 p.m. March 12 members of the rublic safety Bureau requested assistance from Louza Station to arrest parsons who were using Rooms 29 and 34 of the creat Bastern Hotel, Kin we kan, off Manking Road as a meeting place where they were plotting the overthrow of the rublic saf ty Bur au and the Manicipality of Greater Shanghai. A party of sunicipal Police attended and the following nine persons were arrested:-

Lee hing Tecong Li Sing-ngoh Soong Suh-tsang Chou Tsz-zah Chou Keng-zung Iung Ngah-ding Wong Zoong-zung Sung Ngoh-su Tsang Ming-yuen 李季不明司户王孙璟京我降在医考全事选

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The seizure at this address, on examination, however, proved of no value and had no bearing on the case.

that the public safety Eureau and the offices of the various organs of the municipality of creat r shanghai were to be occupied by the so the Eastern self Defence Army at a certain time on march 13. The nucleus of this army was to consist of members of the public safety Eureau and the merchants Volunteer army Corps for which assistance \$100,000 who be paid and 2,000 rifles supplied to these representatives of the Eureau in question together with an assurance that no dismissel or change of the present staff of the sublic safety Eureau would be effected. The new army when forced would be commanded by General Chou Feng-chi (FIRM) who according to the statement of the first and principal accused Li Ming-tsolng, engineered the plat under the name of Li Migoh (The).

Robert is notorious for his treschery against Lu Yung-heiang (), Tuchun of Chekiang, when he (Lub was overthrown by the and against the latter when the mationalists entered Chekiang in 1927. For his desertion of Sun Chuan Fang the " Gionalists appointed him commander of the 26th Army which occupied Chapei and receives in 1927. He held this post for about six months when his command was given to General Chem I () wing to Chiang Mai-ahek's doubt as to his, Chou's, loyalty. Again in December 1929 Cheu

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before maturity and thou was forced to fles.

The statement of the 9th accused, Tsang ming-yuen a graduate of the Tokio Military Academy shows him up as an individual who has lived an political and military intrigue for the past twenty four years and a very suitable man to assist in the plot of this kind.

The secus d have been charged with Insurrection Contrary to / t. 103 of the C.C.s. and will appear before Court on march 14 when an application for their extradition will be made by the Chinese Authorities.

BRITISH CONSULATE-GENERAL,
P.O. SON 29 / 3 SHANGHATE

19th. March, 1932.

Dear Givens,

Very many thanks for your letter No. D.3369 of March 15th. enclosing a copy of a detective report on the case of conspiracy to overthrow various organs which exercise authority in the name of the Municipality of Greater Shanghai.

Yours sincerely,

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T. P. Givens, Esq.,

Deputy Commissioner,
Shanghai Municipal Council.

SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL POLICE.

Bubbling

Station Reference No 121. REPORT

Subject (in full) Third further report on the case of Tsiang Ling Tsih, who

is required by the Bureau of Public Safety as being a rebel.

Made by D.P. Crowden. Forwarded by & haguer Sir. "Isiang Ling Tsih", was taken before the D.C. Court this morning, 21.3.32, at 10am and the judge after scrutinising the documents and letters, which were siezed during the raid on the home of the scoused, stated that there was no definite proof in any of then that the accused as guilty of the charge of being a rebel. Therefore, after having heard the evidence of the Bureau of Public Dafety, the judge remanded the case until a.m 23.3.32, to enable the Bureau of Public bafety to produce before the Court the two prisoners already in their custody who had implicated the accused. Before the hearing of the case however

the members of the Bureau of Public Safety in Court, asked the undersigned to withdraw their application for the custody of Tsiang Ming Tsih as they now had decided that there was insufficient evidence of his guilt. This request was refused and the case prasented

The judge ordered the money, documents, and letters used in the evidence to be taken back to the station

for safe custody until the remanded sitting on 23.3.32

as stated above.

5. Golder In making out this report you are overlapping this should be done by Station detective with your assistance and/or





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Subject (in full)	Executio	n of	Warran	ts No.	4091	and	4092	issued	at	the	instance	€
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Made by D.S. Golder Forwarded by Skilly Robertson Co.

At about 12 noon on March 19th armed with Search Warrant No.4091 an respect of Shih Wei Li (慈妻里), off Seymour Road and Warrant of Arrest No. 4092 in respect of Tsiang Ming-tsih (平明極)(of the address designated in the Search Warrant), both authorities having been issued by the 2md Branch Kiangsu nigh Court at the request of the Public Safety Bureau, a visit was paid to the address aforementioned by the undersigned, members of the Public Safety Bureau and L.D. Bubbling Well Station. Tsiang Mingtsih was taken into custody in a downstairs room of 744 Shih Wei Li and a search conducted of the room. In it were found a large number of letters, the import of which is at present obscure, \$945.00 silver, which was hidden beneath the bed and for which Tsiang Ming-tsih has so far not given a proper accounting. The prisoner was removed to Bubbling Well Station where he was questioned regarding his activities (Statement attached). Two written notes in Japanese were found but it is impossible to say to exactly what they refer. The money \$945 was sealed and handed over to the Sergeant on Duty, Bubbling Well and a receipt obtained for same.

The prisoner will appear before the Court tomorrow
March 21st when the Public Safety Bureau will make application for his extradition.

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Officer 1/c Special Branch.

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Search warrant No.4091 issued by Judge Dzien at the request of the Shanghai Public Safety Bureau.

Shanghai Public Safety Bureau

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Tsiang Ming Tsih.

Address: - 744 Z Wei Li, Seymour Road, off Weihaiwei Road.

To search for and seize certain reactionary literature in the abovementioned premises.

Warrant No.4092 issued by Judge Dzien at the request of the Shanghai Public Safety Bureau.

Shanghai Public Safety Bureau

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Tsiang Ming Tsih.

Address : - 744 Z Wei Li, Seymour Road off Weihaiwei Road.

Wanted by Shanghai Public Safety Bureau for being a reba.

Officer of S.B. MUNICIPAL DOS SHANGHAI MI

REPORT

Station	Reference	1.o. 121

Date March 20 Subject (in full) Further report on assistance to 0.0.L. Authorities

re. arrest of one Tsiang ling Tsih, wanted as being a rebel. Made by D.P.S. Crowden Forwarded by

Sir. Between 10a.m. and 12noon today 20-3-32 Tsiang Ning Trib was taken to the Special Bratch Headquarters where his statement was taken by D.S. Golder, copies of which are attached. At the same time 9 letters and two other documents were translated, copies of these are also attached as they of importance with regard to the allegation that Tsiang Ming Tsih is implicated as a rebel. Money in silver dollars to the value of \$947.00 seized

at the same time that the suspect was a prested in his rooms on 19th. Warch will be taken to the S.S.D. Court tomorrow 21-3-32, together with the originals of the letters and documents aformentioned.

Representatives of the Bureau of Public Safety will be present in the

Court to apply for the despatch of the suspect.

Form No. 3 G. 25,000-1-31

SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL POLICE.

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	is required by the Bureau of Public Safety	y as being a rebel.
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	Sir,	
	Tsiang Hing Taih was again take	
	on the 23-3-32 when Judge Voong ordered his	n to be handed over to the
R 3/32	Staff of the Shanghai Municipality B.P.S.	He was handed over
417	-accordingly.	
11	The sum of \$945.00 found on the premises w	
-	ordered to be handed over to one named Yang	. a representative of
. 2	Hr. Tsang Sme-sung (} 精精) of the Kiangs	
	who apparently is the owner of the money.	
	The bank pass-books likewise scized were he	unded over to representa-
	tives of the Burcau of Babis Safety.	
	It is understood that the Judge told Hr.	long the Asst. H.A. that
	the B.P.S. official who attended Court at	the last hearing, on the
	21-1-32, reported to his superiors that To	siang Hing Tain had been
	released, the Judge had received a telegre	in from Manking asking the
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SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL POLICE. S. B. D.

ARREST REPORT.

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CRIME REGISTER No. 0.0.L. Anthorities.

Rubblingwell Police Station.

March 19th, 32

..... Division.

(One form to be used for each person arrested)

Name, age, occupation and address of person arrested.

Arrested by

Tsiang Hing Tsih (18 42) 58, Representative of 4th 744, Z Wei Li, Seymour Road. Hingsu.

D.P.S. Crowden, C.D.C's 314, & 327.

Date and place where arrest took place.

744. Z Wei Li, off Seymour Road, 12.10p.m. 19-3-52.

Crime Register No. of offence for which arrested. (If an arrest for outside authorities details of offence for which arrested).

full actails follow.

At lla.m., 1903-32, members of the Bureau of Public Safety came to this Station accompanied by members of the Special Branch and an arrest Warrant No. 4092, and a Search Warrant No. 4091, requesting assistance to

At 12.10p.m., 19-3-32 the accused answering to the

arrest one Tsiang King Tsih.

designation on the Search Warrant was arrested in a downstairs room at 744, Z Wei Li, off Seymour Road and

brought to the Station together with documents, money.

letters and chops found in his room.

The latter will be fully investigated preparatory to take pefore the S.S.D. Court on Monday, 21-3-32, when the Eureau of Public Safety will ask for the despatch of

Enquiries proceedings.

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the accused.

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Name of investigating

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D.P.S. Grauden and C.D.C's 314, & 327.

is report is to be forwarded to Headquarters on the morning after arrest.

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SECRET & CONFIDENTIAL SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL POLICE.

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	REPORT Date March 21, 1932
Subject (in fu	all) Re Attached.
Made by	D. S. Golder Forwarded by Strong Courtson en
	I submit herewith for your informations copies
	of translations of papers found at No.744 Sze Wei Li,
	Seymour Road at 12 noon March 19th, when Tsiang Ming Jih
	(当明年), for whom a warrant had been issued, was arrest-
	ed. The Public Safety Bureau allege that Tsiang Ming
	Jih is connected with the case in which a number of arrests
	were made in Louza District on Saturday, March 12.
	The documents found in his possession do not
*	prove a clear case against him and as the Chinese Authorities
	will make application for his extradition I have therefore
	the attached so that you might be placed in full possession
	the facts of the case.
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	officer i/c Special Branch as Jeing is not
	a brus fide resident of the
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N3/12	19 3 Min . advocate that the Pakie have no special reason for objecting whip hein handed was followed about the all the affect of the special pakers are interesting. The Swiens O. i/c Sp. Br.

Search warrant No.4091 issued by Judge Dzien at the request of the Shanghai Public Safety Bureau.

Shanghai Public Safety Bureau

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Shanghai Public Safety Bureau

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Tsiang Ming Tsih.

Address: - 744 Z Wei Li, Seymour Road off Weihaiwei Road.

Wanted by Shanghai Public Safety Bureau for being a reba.

List of documents seized during a raid on the home of Tsiang Ming Jih, No. 744 Shih Wei Li, off Seymour Road at noon March 19th 1932.

- 1. A letter addressed to Tsiang Ming Jih by one Han Ts Ching.
- 2. A letter addressed to Tsiang Ming Jih by one Chang Chi Ming.
- (3. A letter addressed to Shigemitsu (Japanese Minister) by Tsiang Ming Jih.
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My name is Tolang Hing-tsih (角量), native of Yin Yang Heian (尼尼), Szechucz. I am aged 58 years and married to Tsiang Tsang Sze. also a native of Szechucz, who is at present staying in my native place.

I first went to School at the age of 8 years, when I entered a family school in my native place continuing my education there until the age of 18. At the age of 18 years I took an examination, passed and became a scholar under the Seu-Zai (Foreign Knowledge) system which was introduced during the Ching Dynasty. I studied under a tutor in my native place until I was 28 years of age, when I proceeded to Peking and there took an examination at the 2nd Imperial On passing this exemination I was selected to become a civil officer under the Imperial Government. I remained in Peking for a period of about 6 years altogether and then was sent to Soothow where I took over the post of President of the Judicial Yuan. I actually took over the effice in 1910 one year before the revolution. At the obthreak of the revolution I took up the post of secretary to Sung Tuh-chunn (1325) who was that time a"President of the Kinness Province". I proceeded with him to the attack on Manking which took place on 18th day of the 8th mean 1911. The seigs of Marking lasted about one month when the helders gave in. With the fall of Munking I left the employment of Sung Tub-drawn and entered the service of Dr. Sun Tateson who had been obligated temperary Provident and had established his office in Manking which

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the instance of shin Tsung-loo (史字書), Commander of the 4th Moute Army in Kensu to ap ly to the Benking wovernment for funds for the 4th Route Army. I went to the military headquarters where I made application to Comural the bei-ten (未 接接). United of staff. The ap lic tion w s complete out the funds at the time had not seen reised. Ten days later after my errival in Kenking I was errested by the Banking Garrison Commander's Meadquarters on the charge of fabricating resours, starting agitation, and conducting subversive corresp ndence in a secret code and an attempted Comp d'Etat against General Aus Sus-tung (A it it) of the 20th irmy torps in Empsh. I was detained in needquarters of the Gerrison Commender for about 4 months On my release I took up residence in Manking, remaining there for about I month, then came to thanghai arriving here on November 23, 1931. I took a room in the For England Hotel and later moved to the Unei Loh Hotel on Shibet Roads Later in the month of January I moved to my friend's house in the thin wel id. Mo.764, Seymour Road. My friend Toung me-sung (花樹声) who resides at this ad ross is aggintent to the demmander of the Klangou Bendit suppression Toung told me that I could have a room on the ground flor of no.744 whith wel 14, Seymour Hood, Soon ofter the start of the Sing-Japanese Mostilities in thenghed I went to see U. Yammete at the relace Hotelie. Room 129 and asked him to runder me some mesintance in petting some of my friends out of the Chapel area.

All my dealings with Japanese here been for the same purpose.

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Japan and whilst there I made a mamoer of Japanese friends.

Translation of document seized during a raid on the home of Tsiang Mingjih, 744 Shih Wei Li, Seymour Road at 12 noon March 19, 1932.

Ming,

I am very glad to hear that Tsou sung will proceed to Hupeh and I hold the following opinion:

- As the matter according to Sun Ah-deu (? Sun Fo) will be announced at a time when everything had been properly arranged and it is believed that the "Straw Head General" (Chiang Kai-shek) will not meddle with it. Will you advise Tsing not to worry any more. He (? Tsou Sung)) will go to Manking to exert all his energy to assist in accomplishing the matter.
- 2. As regard Ho Nghi's (Feng) case, the official circle exerts every effort to prove that it is groundless. Have you heard any evidence regarding the same?
- 3. As there is assistance from the Interior, the situation will not be affected and as the influence of the bandits will be intensified during the present national crisis in Hupeh, it is very needful to have a stable commander. The present unsettled situation will profit a wise person who can pick up an excellent chance through it.

(Sd.) Han Ts-ching

Envelope: Chiang Esc., Mingsjih c/o 744 Shih Wei Li, Seymour Road.

Awaiting reply.

From Zing Hing.

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December 31

Mr. Ming Jih,

My friend Liu Ching-san's men have about 5,000 rifles and are at present distributed in the border of Kiangsu and Shantung. I request you to try to find some one in Shanghai to collect them and organize them, whereby we can make a fundamental force out of them with a view to completing the Chinese Revolution. It will be best to have affit discussion with your Assistant. Hoping that you will favour me with a reply, Yours faithfully,

Chang Chi-ming.

P.S. In 1924 Sum Yat-sen appointed Liu as Commander of the 11th Army. During the Northern Punitive Drive, he was appointed by Chiang as Commander-in-Chief of the Kiso Tung People Group and at present acts as Major General Military Advisor.

Li Chi-sen is at present Director of Military Training; have you any commection with him and can you introduce me to him?

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December 21.

Minister Shigemitsu,

I beg to inform you that I arrived in Shanghai yesterday and would like to have an interview with you. If you have time, I shall come to you and have a hearty talk with you. Besides I have some important affairs to discuss with you.

Yours faithfully, Sd. Chiang Zu-lih (alias Ming Jih)

P.S. I appreciate your introduction to me last year of Consul Shang Truan (上村) who had several negotiations with me which resulted in satisfaction.

I met brethren Pai Kong (片局), Dien Chung (戶中), Chung Tsing (村村) yesterday. I told them to convey the matter to you and I believe that they have dealt it with you already. I hope that you will appoint a date for an interview.

(Note: The last three names mentioned in P.S. are all # Japanese).

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The following is the translation of a letter addressed by Shigemitsu to Tsiang Ming-chih dated December 24.-

December 24, Office of the Japanese Winister to China.

Mr. Min Tsih.

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your letter has been duly received and perused. Your arrival in Shanghai this time makes me very willing to see you and have a talk with you, which, however, is made impossible owing to my present engagement, official and private. Should you have anything to do, please kindly interview Advisor Ling Tsuh (***\frac{1}{2},) and have dealings with him.

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Yours faithfully,
Shigemitsu
(Minister to China).

Translation of the envelop :-

From Shigemitau

Er. Telang Hing-taih, c/o Chang Residence 744 Shih Wei Li, Seymour Road.



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The following is the translation of a letter addressed by San to Tsiang Ming-chih dated February 16:-

February 16.

Brother Ming Jih,

Standing Committee in Li's residence. If you have leisure, please represent Brother Zien () and attend the meeting. At 2 p.m. on the 18th you are also requested to represent (?Zien) and attend the meeting. Yesterday I proposed that you be appointed Advisor to this office, which was passed. A letter of appointment will be sent to you separately.

Yours faithfully,

Translation of the Envelop:-

Goods Roads Exhibition
Bank of China Extension Bldg.
16 Jinkee Road,
Shanghai.

Mr. Chiang Ming-jeh c/e Chang's Residence.

From Woo.

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Plan to be put into execution

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- 1. Fix the law governing the Organization of a People's Conference.
- 1. Overthrow the despotism of One Party.
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- 1. Organise a formal government and put into execution the constitution.

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- 1. I have heard that you suspect me.
- You don't make conference about the various matters.
- 3. You don't practise our belief.
- 4. Angry.

(N.B. This note is in Japanese).

February 18.

Commander-in-Chief Uyeda,

It is three years since we saw you last;
have you an idea about the hearty talk and joking beside
the sea among us and Chuen the (五元) (Chief of Staff),
San Ya (元子) (Staff Officer), Chih Dien (吉元)
(Interpreter and Advisor), when you were in command at
Tientsin and Taku. This time you came to Shanghai and
I too owing to some important affairs have arrived here.
I originally intended to have an interview with you,
but an not in position to lo so due to my present
engagement. Therefore I have to write to you to
offer my good wishes. I am at present engaged in
the peace movement; you can get important particulars
from Dien Chung (元子), Pei Kong (大子) (Shan Tsing
(子子), and Kiang Gee (江子子) (all names of
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As regards whether there is hope for peace and other measures, please tell me through Brother Dian.
Chung (P)

Fours fulthfully,

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 Szechuen Road. Telephone 41839.

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Brother Hung.

We have not corresponded to each other for a long time. Gur company has been organised with a little success. Certain manager (18 Ts) Sewret Code. has left here for Tientsin. Why do you not go to Tientsin with Brother Mai, possibility it would not be difficult to know the time state. Maybe I shall go to the North in the near future with a view to arranging a conference among us. As a branch is opening here it is possible that we shall ask you to come seath.

Attached herewith is a note for Brother Mai.

Yours Paithfully

Ming.

P.S. The organisation of the company is very good but for the present do not ask for other men when you are in Tientein look for those acquisintances of the Kan Hob (Tuan German clique and you will receive help.

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Brother Mei Pah.

Our company has achieved some sucess A certain manager has returned to Tientsin from Shanghai. Why do not go to Tientsin with Brother Min (JEV) and maybe there is some meaning there.

Yours Faithfully

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Euc. Commander of the 26th Division of the Mational Army. According to the Mo.204 lotter of the Garrison Commander's Headquarters'of Hankow, during the inspection of postal matters they discovered a Japanese telegrom entitled "Telegram from the Song Dau (Japanese) Consul-General at Tientsin to the Acting Consul-General Chigimitau of Shanghai" in company with a paper written according to a secret code in a roll of mosquite paper sent to Tsiang King Jih. Sing Hom Hotel, Marking, from Hankow and that those documents are fabricating resours, starting agitation code code under a secret/and of a rebellious character and we are requested to arrest the person in order to prevent possible embargament. In accordance with this we have arrested one Tsiang Ring Jih and seized a number of documents of a rebelliese mature including several letters from Chiang Sec. 43 Yang Tsing Tsung Road, Hankow, to Taiang Hing Jih, and Ling Ching Dai, in connection with a proposed comp d'etat against Kuo. Accordingly we replied Au (2), the Carrison Commander of Harkow by telegram and requested him to arrest the accomplice. In answer to this we were later informed by the aforementioned Authorities that one Chiang Sec had been arrested. who stated that he is engaged as an addisor of the 26th Division and undertook the astivities of overthrowing Kue and they also asked if itis all right to send these secused Tsiang Ring Jih and Chiung See to your Division for investigation. Regarding this we would like to get a reply from you.

Attacked herewith is a copy of the original letter from the Corriges Commander's Headquarters, the Japanese tologrem with translation and three letters written by Origing Sec. Translation of a document found during a raid on the home of Tshang Ming-jih. No 744 Shih Wei Li Seymour Road at noon on March 19th 1932.

February 11th.

Brother bei Pah.

Our company has achieved some sucess A certain mamager has returned to Tientsin from Shanghai. Why do not go to Tientsin with Brother Min (MK)) and maybe there is some meaning there.

Yours Faithfully

Min.

Translation of a document found during a raid on the home of Tsiang Ming -jih. No 744
Shig Wei Li, Seymour Road at noon on March 19th
1932.

Februaru 11.

Brother Hung.

We have not corresponded to each other for a long time. Our sompany has been organised with a little saccess. Certain "anager (18 Ts) Sesret Code. has left here for Tientsin. Why do you not go to Tientsin with Brother Mai, possibility it would not be difficult to know the time state. Maybe I shall go to the Borth in the near future with a view to arranging a conference among us. As a branch is opening here it is possible that we shall ask you to come south.

Attached herewith is a note for Brother Mai.

Yours Faithfully

Ming.

P.S. The organisation of the company is very good but for the present do not ask for other men When you are in Tientsin look for those acquaintances of the Kam Hoh (Tuan Gee-sai clique and you will receive help.

Translation of documents found during a raid on the home of Tsiang Ming Jih, Ho 744 Shih Wei Li, Seymour Road at moon March 19th.1932.

- 1. (Visiting eard.) D. Yamamoto. Written in ink,
 Roem No 129 Palace Hotel, (Tel 18630.
- 2. (Visiting Card.) Hajor. T. Takahathi. Japanese Hilitary Office. 97 Wooting Road.
- 3. Dr. T. Mayeseno. Dental Sergeon. No A 125 North Szechuen Road. Telephone 41839.

(The last being also a visiting card.)

Translation of documents seized during a raid on the home of Tsiang Ming-chih (50) 4), 744 Shih Wei Li (22), Seymour Road, at 12 noon March 19, 1932.

February 18.

Commander-in-Chief Uyeda,

It is three years since we saw you last: have you an idea about the hearty talk and joking beside the sea smong us and Chuen Jee (五比) (Chief of Staff), San Ya (24) (Staff Officer), Chih Dien (2 12) (Interpreter and Advisor), when you were in command at Tientsin and Taku. This time you came to Shanghai and I too owing to some important affairs have arrived here. I originally intended to have an interview with you. but am not in position to do so due to my present engagement. Therefore I have to write to you to offer my good wishes. I se at present engaged in the passe movement; you can get important particulars from Dien Chang (+), Pei Kong (t 14) Chan Tuing (村井), and Klang Geo (江 等) (all names of Janamese).

As regards whether there is hope for peace and other measures, planse tell me through Brother Dien.
Chang (#)

Tours faithfully,

Messe on attached ourse.

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Translation of documents seized during a raid on the home of Telang Ming-chih (有別長). 774 Shih Wei Li (差 支生), Seymour Road, at 12 goon Karch 19, 1932.

The principle of root

- 1. I have heard that you suspect me.
- 2. You don't make conference about the various matters.
- 3. You don't practise our belief.
- 4. Angry.

(N.B. This note is in Japanese).

Translation of documents seized during a raid on the home of Taiang Ming-chih (蒋明花), 774 Shih Wei Li (艺艺), Seymour Road, at 12 goon March 19, 1932.

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(N.B. This note is in Japanese).

Translation of documents seized during a raid on the home of Tsiang Ming-chih (海州起), 744 Shih Wei Li (海泉星), Seymour Road, at 12 noon March 19, 1932.

- 1. Convene a Previsional Government Council.
- 1. Fix the law governing the Organization of a People's Conference.
- 1. Overthrow the despotism of One Party.
- 1. Convene a People's Conference and fix up the Constitution.
- 1. Organize a formal government and put into execution the constitution.

Translation of documents seized during a raid on the home of Tsiang Ming-chih (海州年), 744 Shih Wei Li (芝東皇), Seymour Road, at 12 noon March 19, 1932.

Plan to be put into execution

- Mutiny in the Interior (Letter to Chiang).
 Feng. Yu. Chuen.
- 2. Money. 19th Route. Kwangtung. Li. Wang Ping-yen.
- 3. Shanghai Question. Wang Ih-ding. Fu Siao-an.
 - (a) The male question.
 - (b) the "Part" question.

Translation of documents sided during a raid on the home of Tsiang Ling-chih (存用程), 744 Sih wei Li (克克里), Seymour Acad, at 12 noon March 19, 1932

The following is the translation of a letter addressed by San to Tsiang Ming-chih dated February 16:-

February 16.

Brother Ming Jih.

At 4 p.m. every day, there is a meeting of Standing Committee in Li's residence. If you have leisure, please represent Brother Zien (元) and attend the meeting. At 2 p.m. on the 18th you are also requested to represent (?Zien) and attend the meeting. Yesterday I proposed that you be appointed Advisor to this office, which was passed. A letter of appointment will be sent to you separately.

Yours faithfully,

Translation of the Envelop:-

Goods Roads Exhibition
Bank of China Extension Blug.
15 Jinkee Road,
Shanghai.

Wr. Chiang Ming-jeh c/o Chang's Residence.

From Too.

Translation of documents seized during a raid on the home of Tsiang Ming-chih (海州地), 744 Shih Wei Li (美龙), Seymour Road, at 12 noon March 19, 1932.

The following is the translation of a letter addressed by Shigemitsu to Tsiang Ming-chih duted December 24:-

December 24, Office of the Japanese Minister to China.

Er. Min Tsih,

your letter has been duly received and perused. Your arrival in Phanghai this time makes me very willing to see you and have a talk with you, which, however, is made impossible owing to my present engagement, official and private. Should you have anything to do, please kindly interview Advisor Ling Tsuh (** ** **) and have dealings with him.

Yours faithfully,
Shigemitsu
(Minister to China).

Translation of the envelop :-

From Shigemitsu

Er. Teiang King-tsih, c/o Chang Recidence 744 Shih Wei Li, Seymour Road. Translation of dodument seized during a raid on the home of Tsiang Ming-chih (), 744 Shih wei Li, Seymour Road, at 12 noon, March 19, 1932.

December 21.

Minister Shigemitsu,

I beg to inform you that I arrived in Shanghai yesterday and would like to have an interview with you. If you have time, I shall come to you and have a hearty talk with you. Besides I have some important affairs to discuss with you.

Yours faithfull/y, Sd. Chiang Zu-lih (alias Ming Jih)

P.S. I appreciate your introduction to me last year of Censul Shang Tsuam ()) who had several negotiations with me which resulted in satisfaction.

I met prethrem rai Kong ()), Dien Chung (), Chung Tsing ()) yesterday. I told them to convey the matter to you and I believe that they have dealt it with you already. I hope that you will appoint a date for an interview.

(Note: The last three names mentioned in P.S. are all of Japanese).

Translation of document seized during a raid on the home of Tsiang Ming-chih, 344 shih wei Li, Seymour Road, at 12 noon, March 19, 1932.

December 31

Mr. Ming Jih,

My friend Liu Ching-san's men have about 5,000 rifles and are at present distributed in the border of Kiangsu and Shantung. I request you to try to find some one in Shanghai to collect them and organize them, whereby we can make a fundamental force out of them with a view to completing the Chinese Revolution. It will be best to have affil discussion with you, /ssistant. Hoping that you will favour me with a reply,

Yours faithfully,

Chang Chi-ming.

P.S. In 1924 Sun Yat-sen appointed his as Commander of the 11th Army. During the Northern Punitive Drive, he was appointed by Chiang as Commanderin-Chief of the Kiso Tung People Group and at present acts as Major General Military Advisor. Li Chi-sen is at present Director of Military Training; have you any connection with him and can you introduce me to him?

Translation of document seized during a raid on the home of Taiang mingjih, 744 Shih wel Li, Seymour Road at 12 noon March 19, 1932.

ming,

I am very glad to hear that Tsou sung will proceed to hupen and I hold the following opinion:

- will be announced at a time when everything had been properly arranged and it is believed that the "Straw Head General" (Chiang Kai-shek) will not meddle with it. Will you advise Tsing not to worry any more. He (? Tsou Sung)) will go to Manking to exert all his energy to assist in accomplishing the matter.
- 2. As regard Mo Mighi's (Feng) case, the official circle exerts every effort to prove that it is groundless. Have you heard any evidence regarding the same?
- 3. As there is assistance from the Interior, the situation will not be affected and as the influence of the bandits will be intensified during the present national crisis in Hupeh, it is very needful to have a stable commander. The present unsettled situation will profit a wise person who can pick up an excellent chance through it.

(Sd.) Han Ts-ching

Envelope: Chiang Esq., Minggjih c/o 744 Shin wei Li, Seymour Road.

Awaiting reply.

From Zing Ming.

Translation of document seized during a raid on the home of Taiang mingjih, 744 Shih Wei Li, Seymour Road at 12 noon March 19, 1932.

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(Sd.) H.n Ts-ching

Envelope: Chiang Esq., Mingfjih c/e 744 Shih wei ...1, Seymour Road,

Awaiting reply.

From Zing Ming.

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SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL POLICE.

CRIME DIARY.

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Louza . Police Station.

15th. March. 1932.

Diary Number:-

CRIME REGISTER No:-

Nature of Offence:-

Time at which investigation begun and concluded each day

15-3-32. p.m.

Places wigited in course of investigation each day.

Second Branch. Kiangsu High Court.

RECORD OF INVESTIGATION.

Further to Assistance to Nantae Public Safety Bureau.

lst. accused: - Les Ming Tseong (Lee Hain Ngoo 2nd. Lee Ts Kwei 3rd. Chew Ts Zah 4th. Chew Keng Zung Ying Nyeh Ding 5th. 6th. Wong Tseeng Zung(Sung Nyoch Su (7th. 33. I. 8th. Tsang Ming Yuen Sung Ben Tau 9th. loth. Zau wei 31 11th.

The above named accused again appeared before the Second Branch of the Kiangsu High Court on the afterneen of 15-3-32, when the charge-sheet was endersed as follows:-

" All the accused, tegether with the evidence and articles seized, are allewed to be handed ever with the exception of Zau Wei Si (書為发), 11th. accused, who is to find security and surrender himself to the Public Safety Bureau Authorities in case he is requirady"

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Mr. Les a peared for the Polise. Mr. Sung The Sung for the lat.4th, and 6th accuse:

Mr. 288 Ten Wel

Mr. Sung Yung Dong for the 4th accused. Mr. Yue Yau for the 2nd, 3rd, and 9th accused.

Judge to Mr. Sung Yue Sung: - According to the Rendition Agreement, the Court have to make some enquiries in this case. I am not going to have the case renewed.

Judge to Accused: Your case was bried by Judge So ag yesterday and it has been considered by us to hand you over to the P.S.B.

Mr. Sung Tue Sang (Lawyer): - The question of Extradition in this ease involves much on the part of law. Judge Soong, when he sat yes? terday, allowed to give me time to make out a written patition regard rding the part of law is this case. Will the Court give me time to? express my opinion.

Judge to Mr. Sung: - According to the Readition Agreement, we do m not have to talk about law. Article 6 of the Agreement clearly states that if the case is proved to be a Prima Faci case, it can be hand d STEP.

Mr. Sung Tue Sung:- In the Judicial Court. I submit that Law and eriminal procedure should be taken into consideration. I draw the Court's attention to Article 5 of the Agreement .

Judge to Mr. Sung: This case has been proved to be a prime faci ease, and according to the Readition Agreement should be handed ever

Mr. Sung Yue Sung 1- Even if Article 6 of the Agreement should be adobted in this case, full enquiries should be made before extradition. From the proceedings yesterday, the not of the alleged offence was in the Settlement, and therefore should be tried in this Court. It is the right of the ascused to be fully enquired before handed on The agrused should be given the right that they should be breight be fore the Judicial Court, as the alleged erime was counitted within the Juristiction of this court. If the Goust will give me time to make out a potition, I will write out fully explaining regarding quanties of extraction in this case, If the Court has almosty.

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a ruling form handing over, I ask that the execution of this ruling be temporary suspended, according to Article 420 of the Criminal Procedure.

Endge to Mr. Sung: - The enquiries hate already been concluded by Judge Soong. There is no ruling in this case. I hand them over according to the Rendition Agreement.

Mr. Sung:- I ask for a short remand of two to three days.

Representatives of P.S.B. :- A despatch from the P.S.B. was sent to this Court this morning for the extradition of the accused. I ask the Court to hand them over to us, as it has been the ruling in this Court to hand accused over in cases like this. I also ask that the documents and other property sedzed be handed over to us with the assessed.

Mr. Sung Yae Sung: - I ask the Court to give the coused a chance for explication for two or three minutes.

Judge to Mr. Sung:- You may explain now.

Mr. Sung: - According to Article 15 of the Criminel Proceedure the residence of the accused should be taken into consideration in this case. All the accused reside in the Settlement and are therefore subje jest to the Jurisdiction of this Court. The second point, is if they are handed over, they should not be handed ever to the P.S.B. but to the Kiangse High Court. The third point, according to Article 21 of the Criminal Proceedure the accused should not be handed ever to the P.S.B. The fourth point, the Martial Law at Martee, has not effected in the Settlement, and therefore should not be handed over to the Chiners Authorities. It is absolutely right to have the case tried in this Court in which a Procurator sits with the Judge. It is the Civil right of the accused to be tried before a Judicial Cours to which the Jurisdiction is subject. If according to the Bendition Agreement the the accused are handed over, there is no use to make exquiries and me use to prove a prime feel case if the Court has deemed to hand them over. I ask that the execution of this be temperary suspended.

Judge to Mr. Sung:- This case was first discovered by the P38.M.

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and they saked this Court for the extradition of the secusod.

Mr. Sung: - The accused were already charged by the Settlement Po-

Judge to Mr. Sung: - They were not charged by the Settlement Police only on application was made for the extradition on behalf of the P. SLB.

Mr. Sung Vung Dong (Lawyer):- This Court is not compelled to hand the accuseum over according to the Rendition Agreement, if the Court does not think it necessary to hand them over after full enquiries.

Judge: - According to the Criminal Proceedure, it is right to take the residences of the accused into consideration when we decide the the question of extradition, but in this case the said offense was comitted out of the limits of the Settlement.

Hr. Lea: - The facts of the case is clear. They planned the offence in the Settlement. The Settlement Police do not wish to push the secured out of the Settlement. The object of their offence was to start trouble in Nantao, and the P.S.B. want to charge the accused. If the P.S.B. want them handed over, the Settlement Police have no objection we leave this to the Court.

Mr. Zam (lawyer) in answer to Judge :- My opinion is the same as a Mr. Sung.

Mr. The to Judge: - The residence of the secured is within the Setthement. The Municipal Police should theree the secured and the case tried in this Court.

Judge to Mr. Tue: - This Court has decided to extradite the accused Mr. Sung The Sung: - We object to this ruling. I have proposed my petition and I ask that the execution of this ruling be temperary suspended according to Arthole 480 of the Criminal Proceedure.

Judge :- Therex is no ruling in a case like this, we only hand over the secure: in accordance with the Bendition Agreement.

Mr. Sung to Judho :- Then I wish to protest against the ruling.
Judge to Mb. Sung:- Your protest has no local tests. If the recurs

	edings in S. S. D. Court for 15/3/32 19 F. I. R. No. Sta. No.
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	are handed over, they will be still ander the Chinese Authorities.
	If our ruling should be considered incorrect, there is still another
	er remedy in this case.
	Mr. Les in answer to Judge :- The 11th accused could not furnish
	security. In the house No.26 Rue Brenier Nontmorand there wass some
	property left, I ask the Court to dispose of this.
	Judge to Mr. Lea: - The furniture has nothing to do with the case,
	I cannot dispose of it.
	Mr. Lea:- Is the 11th accused to be detained.
	Judge :- The 11th accused is to be detained by the Settlement Po-
	live pending the furnishing of security.
	Mr. Zung Vung Dong to Judge :- The Judge has just stated in this
	case there is no ruling, but the Court has decided that the assused
	be handed over, this is a ruling. According to Article 6 of the
	Criminal Proceedure the Court should make full enquiries, and if the
	Court considers that they should not be handed overs then they show
	uld be tried here in this Court.
	Mr. Sung Yue Sung: - The P.S.B. is not a Judicial Court, only a
	Police Station, how can we hand the accused over to them.
	Mr. Les to Judge :- There is some property in the Dah Doong Lo-
	dging-house and some property at 7 Rue Chapsel. They are being loo-
	ked after by the French Police pending an order of disposal by this
	Fourt.
	9th Accused:- I have some property at the Dak Doong Lodging-hous
	Judge :- The question of property has nothing to do with this
	case. The property can be disposed of by the accused themselves.
	Judge to Mr. Sung Yue Sung: - Your petition should be filed thre-
	ugh the Registry office.
Decision	lith accused to surrender himself to the Shanghai Public Safety Bureau on furnishing security, but he is still to be detained in the station pending furnishing security. All others to be handed over to the Shanghai Tublic Safety Bureau togather with the documentary process.
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Copy for Officer in charge Special Branch

SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL POLICE. B.

CRIME DIARY.

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CRIME REGISTER No:-	14th. Karch,
Diary Number:	Nature of Offence:—
Time at which investigation begun and concluded each day	Places visited in course of investigation each day.

RECORD OF INVESTIGATION.

Further to Assistance to Mantao Public Safety Bureau.

1st accused: - Lee Ming Tsoong (\$ 4 +). :- Lee Hain Ngoo (3 8 2). 2nd. :- Lee Ts Kwe1 (\$ FE). 3rd. :- Chow Ts Zah (A JA). 4th. " :- Chow Keng Zung (Fiff). 5th. " :- Ying Nyoh Ming (/ i. f). 6th. " :- Wong Tsoong Zung(5件件). 7th. :- Sung Nyoch Su (1/2 1. 8th. :- Tsang Ming Yuen (12 12). 9th. (宝油等)。 :- Sung Ban Tau loth. (曹龙色)。

3- Zau Wei Si

The above named accused appeared before the Second Branch of the Kiangsu Higher Court on the morning of 14-3-32, when after a lengthy hearing the charge-sheet was endorsed as follows:-

" 1st. to 10th. accused to be detained for the time being. 11th. accused to be released on security."

The seized property, including papers searched from the persons of the accused, was detained by the Court.

11th.

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369 B. D.Age 89. Unemployed. bearcoi. 1. Lee hing Tsoong 2. Lee Hain Ngoo 38. Ex-Officer. 28. Unomployee. 3. Lee Ts Kwei 4. Chew is ash 99. do. 53. 5. Chow Keng Kung áo. 6. Jing Nyoh Ding 58. do. 35. Teucher 7. Wong Tsoong Zung 41. Unemployed. E. Sung Myoh Su do. ** 58. 9. Is ng Ming Yuen 38. 10. Sung Beh Tau âu. 11. Mau ei Si 19. 0.

Offence against the Internal Security of the State. Cont to. Charge For that they during the month of March 1932 at Shanghai did plot together to everthrow the Internal Security of the Siate.

Mr. Les appeared for the Police.

Proceedings.

Mr. Sung Vung Dong for the 4th assused. Mr. Yue You for the 2nd, 3rd, and 9th accused. Mr. Lea:- At 4.10.p.m. on the 22 12/3/32 a detective named Ng

Mr. Sung Tue Sung appeared for the 1st, 4th & 6th accused.

Siau Fung from the Shanghai Public Safety Bureau went to Louze State ion and reported that there were a manber of persons in Rolls No.34

and 29 in the Great Rastern Hotel ploking to overthrow the present Safety Bureau and the Volunteer Corps in Nantao. He also asked for assistance to raid these rooms. The Police gave them assistance and went there and arrested the 1st to the 9th accused as well as finding many documents, chops and flags in the room. These things are of am illegal organization called "The Solf-Defence Army". House No.7 of Rue Chapsel was also reided and more documents were found relativ

then raided and there the 10th and 11th accused were arresteds. The representative of the Bureau is in Court and he will apply for the handing over of the assumed. The Police have no opinion re extradition and we entirely leave it in the hands of the Court.

ng to the same organization. House No. 26 Rus Brenier Hontmorand was

D.S. Wilcox:- At 4.10.p.m. on the 12/8/32 members of the Public Safety Bureau came to Louza Station and asked for assistance to arrest some persons in Rooms'36 and 29 of the Great Eastern Hotel. They stated that the place was being used as a meeting place to plot the overthrow of the Public Safety Busecu and administration of the Man

icipality of Grouppy Shonghui. Myself and C.D.S. 128 gave assisting

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Proceedings) and we went to the Hotel. The 1st,2nd,3rd, and 4th accused were me continued.

arrested in room No. 34, and the 5th,6th,7th 8th and 9th accused were arrested in room No.29. A box containing documents were seized in room No.34 of the Hotel, and these (produced) in room No.29. Thesex documents (produced) were brought to the Station by the P.S.B. as evidence.

The 10th and 11th accused were arrested at 9.30.p.m. on the 12/3/32

26 Brenier Montmorand at the home of the 3rd accuse No.2 Rus/thursel in Frenchtown. Three boxes of literiture and documents were seized at the 2nd accused house and one box containing documents from the 3rd accused house 26 Russel Brenier Montmorand. Papers and chops were found on the accused person when they were seasched at the Station. The representative of the P.S.

Ng Siau Fung in unswer to the Judge :- I am a detective from the P.B.B. I received information on the 12/3/32 to the effect that the moscupants of Room No.34 and 29 of the Great Eletern Hotel were plottimed to overthrow the present Safety Bureau of Nantao. I went to Louza Station to obtain assistance to agreet these accused. I ask that they be handed over to us for trial.

Be is in Court and rejuest that the assused be handed over to them/

Statements have been taken from all the accused.

let Assused in answer to Judge :- I ossupied Room No.34 of the Gred Eastern Hotel with 3 others. I have been there for 4 days. Theother three men came to the room to visit the 9th assused. Dosuments, shops and flags were found in the room. Wong Ming is the Chief Detective Inspector in the Public Eafety Buseau at Hunted. I do not know Soong Sum Chu. The majure of the "Southment Self Defense Army" is on the basis of patriotism. I do not know the plan of this army. It has only been organized for 5 or 4 days. The 9th assused is my friend, and it was I who first asked him to some to the room. A few days age I met a man maned Lee Egoh and he gave me a \$100.00 to book a room in the Hosela. At first I only booked room He.34, I booked Room He.29 because the wife of Lees also stayed there. "Lees only asked me to cutertain his friends there; I have no position in the "Self-defense Army" and I do met know how many man were consecuted in it. I do met know there

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"LSS" is at present. I object to being handed over to the Public Safety Bureau because I will have no opportunity of piving my full explanation there.

Detective Hg Siau Fung to Judge :- The 1st accused himself is Lee Ngoh because a chop the name of "Lee" was found in his possession.

lat Assumed in answer to Judge :- I on not "Lee Ngoh". The chop was never found in my possession.

2nd Accused in enswer to Judge :- I am a private "Inspector" in the Shanghai Arsenal. Soong Kee Liang is a relative of the Chief of the Arsenal. It was the 9th accused who asked me to go to the room No.34 of the Great Eastern Hotel. The 9th accused was formerly the Chief of Staff in the 25th Army. I went to the Hotel on the 11/3/32. On the 12/3/32 I went there again. I do not know the let accused or anything about the "Self-Defence Army. The 9th accused asked me to go to the Hotel and he promised to get me a job. I would like to be tried in the is court, because then I would have a chance to explain.

3rd Assused in answer to Judge :- My real name is Soong S Zeng. I gave a false name to the Police when I was arrested. I know nothing about the Self-Defence Army. I am employed in the Shanghai Arsenal as a clerk. En the 11/3/32 I was in my friends house named Lieu Tsa Ming, and there the 9th accused was introduced to me. On the 12/3/32 wrote a note to me asking me to go to the Great Eastern Hotel. I went there and the 9th accused introduced me to the lat accused. They asked me to participate in the "Patriotic Self-Defence Army". I was a rested when I was about to leave the room. The find accused is also employed in the Arsenal. There were a number of discussants in Room No.29. I wish to be tried in this Court and I also beg the Court to make full emquiries into this case.

4th Assumed in answer to Judge :- I reside at No.7 Rue Chapsel, I went to Boom No.34 of the Great Rasturn Hotel to see the let Assumed. I was introduced to this place by one named Tou Ming Goo. It was the 6th assumed who fittest spake to me about the Self-Defence Army. I was told that the present Safety Burson and the Mantae Volunteer Corpo

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Conti ued	are willing to be re-organized. I have no definite position in the
	Army except that I render assistance to the diplomatic part. The 1st
	ascused is a representative of Lee Ngoh. Mr. Wellington Koo is also
	awere of this organization and he is responsible to deal with the Bri-
	tish and American Authorities in Shanghai. I was told that the Briti-
	sh and American Authorities would have no objection to this organize-
	tion, because great convenience will be given to them after this Ar-
	my occupies Nantao District. I object to being handed over to the P.
	S.B.
	5th Accused in answer to Judge :- I am an ex-military man. I was
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arrested in Room No. 29 of the Great Eastern Hotel. I was informed by my eldest som that my third som had been killed in Chapei during the fighting with the Japanese Troops, so I same to Shanghai to verify this information. The 8th accused who was formerly my school-mate, visited me and he asked me to go to the Hotel on the 12/3/32. On the 12/3/32 I went there, but I found that he ws not in the room. Later, has easte and soon after we were all arrested. I know nothing about the "Self Defence Arms".

6th Assumed in answer to Judge :- I was never in Room No.29 of the Creat Eastern Hotel before I was arrested.

D.S. Wilsox in ensuer to Judgo :- The 6th assumed was in the roce when he was arrested.

5th Assumed in answer to Judge :- I same to Shanghai from "Lieu-he I met the let assumed on the food and he asked me to go to the front Eastern Hotel. I know nothing about the Self Defense Army. I am uned-usated. I object to being handed over to the P.S.B.

7th Accused in answer to Judge :- I am a professor of the Dak Hum College. I know the 9th accused. I went to the Great Eastern Hotel with a man named Kinng Sung Dae who is the Setetive Inspector of the First Division of the Public Safety Sureau. At first, I met a man named Sung Ten Chm who is also a Detestive Inspector of the Oth Division of the P.S.B., and he spoke to me about the Self Defence Army. They told me in the Hotel, that the present Safety Sureau will be manual.

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Continued. re-organized by the Self Defence Army. In the Hotel, I saw the lat accused hand over \$3,000.00 to Kiang Sung Dao. The 1st accused is no "Lee Ngoh", "Lee Ngoh" is a fat man. Kiang Sung Dao is my friend, am he took part in the Self Defence Army. "Kiang" later betrayed us, and that is why we were arrested. I ask that he be also dealt with as he is also one of the participants in this matter. I object to being handed over to the P.S.B.

Sth Accessed in answer to Judge: The visiting eards in Court are mine. On the 12/3/32 I visited the 5th accused in his house, and late or we went to Room No.29 of the Great Eastern Hotel where we were arrested. I do not know the 9th accused. The 7th accused was in Room No.29 when we first entered. I object to being handed over to the Public Safety Bureau.

I made at the S tation is contradictory because the translation cannot fully carry cut my own meaning. I met the 1st accused in February last year. On the 9/3/52 he came to my house but he did not meet me. Later, he sent me a note asking me to go to the Great Eastern Hetel, and I went there and met him. He talked to me about the erganization of the Self Defence Army. He told me that the Public Safety Bureau and the Velunteer Corps at Nantao are all willing to be re-organized. I suggested to him that if the such an army would not herm the Public it could be erganized. I also spoke to him about anti-Tsiang Ka Zah for the non-resistance of the Japanese Invasion in the 3 Eastern Previnces. I object to beinh handed over to the Public Safety Bureau because I have enough chance to explain here.

10th Accused: I reside at 26 Rue Brenier Montmorand with Scong Chi Liang and the 11th accused. The 11th accused is my nephew and so is Scong S Tsang. "Zam Yao" is not my alias. "Yau Yao" is the name of my relative. The letter in Court was written by a man named Tong Sung and it was not addressed to me. Scong Zung Lo is the name of my brother. I do not know anything about the Self Defence Army. I know the 2nd and 3rd accused.

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Detective Eg Siau Fung in answer to Judge :- The 10th and 11th accused were arrested in the house off Rue Branier Montmarand when the premises were visited in search of desuments.

11th accused: The 10th accused is my uncle. I live in his house.

The 11th accused is a teacher in the Arsenal. Soong Kyi Lieng is my cousin. Soong Zung Sah is the name of the father of Soong Sah Tsaung I work in the Arsenal and I earn \$9.00 per month. I object to being a handed over. I can furnish security.

Wit. King Sung Dao :- I am a detective Inspector of the Public Safety Bureat. I admitted to Court that I took part in the organization of the Salf Defence Army on behalf of the Bublic Safety Bureau but I arrested these accused because the League Commission will are rive today in Shanghai and it would be a disgrace to China if any violence should occur now in Nantao. The 7th, accused is my friend and he asked me to assist in the organisation of the Self D efence Army about a month ago. Afterwards he effected some arrangements wit a man named Sung Tsa Chu who is a detective in charge of the 8th. Division of the P.S.Bureau. I am cortain of this as Sung phoned to me about the matter at 5...p.m. on the 8th. inst. At 4.0.p.m. on the 9th. inst. the 7th. came to my house and gave me \$100.00. and later Sung came and gave me two powers of attorney. hey told me that I ha been appointed a Brigade Ceneral in the newly-organised army. They also told me that Mr. Wellington Koo had assumed responsibility for foreign affairs and that Hr. Sung Fo would provide financial support and further, that Tagu Vung Ges would attend to military supplies. When they left I reported this to my puperior ofricer Wong Ming, The latter then got into touch with Wellington Koo and Sun Fo but they demied all knowledge of the Self-"efence Army. The 7th. sent a chose to my house on the aftermoon of the 10th. asking Sung S Chu and my self to accompany him on a visit to the commander-in-chief Tsee Ve Ges. He told me that the 1st. was the chief director of the army the 9th. the shief-of-staff, the Srd. the secretary and the 4th.

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financial supporter. On the 11th. inst. the 7th. accused asked me to at a meeting held in the Great Eastern hotel and I accordingly did so. Tseu Vung Geo, the 1st. 2nd. 4th. and 9th. were all present and the former made the suggestion that the Self-Defence Army should star: a riot in Nantao on the morning of the 12th. inst., On the morning of that date Wong Ming went me to the hotel where another meeting was being held and he instructed me to make the suggestion that in order to effect the re-organisation of the present Safety Bureau the army should supply it with \$100,000.00 and 2,000 rifles. Tseu agreed to pay \$50,000.00, an additional \$10,000.00 as a reward and to supply 1,500 rifles. At 1.0.p.m. on the same day the 7th a ked me to go to the hotel again as he had only got \$3,000.00. Wong Ming was informed of this and he told me to receive it. I was also given some banners and badges. I went through with this in order to get information regarding the organisation. The 7th, received an appointment in the army as the chief of the Nentao Bafety Bureau. They also planned the overthrow of the Municipality of Greater Shenghai. Wong Ming also took part in a meeting at the hotel. Sung Tsa Chu did not do so however but sent a representative. Later we reported the matter to the Louza Po ice and the accused were arrested

Zung Vung Dond.:-I submit that the application for the handing over of the accused is made without legal basis as according to Art. 13 of the Code of Griminal Proceedure they should be tried in this Court. Further, the Bureau of Public Sasety is not a judicial court and has therefore no right to apply for the extradition of the accused.

Mr. Sung Yah Sung: -I object to the handing over of the accused as they were agree ted in the Settlement where the offence was counit ed. In admition the Public Sefety Bureau is not a judicial court according to the provisions of Art. 22 of the Code of Griminal Proceedure and therefore they have no authority to apply for extra-dition. I would ask that the case be remanded to enable me to make

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	on application for a ruling regarding this matter.						
	Mr. Yu Yuen:- his in case of an offence against the Internal						
	Security of the State under Art. 103 of the CCRC. and should there-						
	fore be tried in the High Court, which, according to Art. 13 of the						
	Code of Criminal Proceedure, is this court.						
	Mr. T.S.Lea:-In this case the proposed offence was planned in						
	the Settlement, it was not intended to execute it here and the						
	Settlement Police only rendered assistance to the P.S.Buremi in						
	arresting the accused and therefore have no objection to their being						
	handed over.						
	Procurator Wong:-I have no opinion to express regarding the						
	question of extradition but I would poi t out that the 11th. secuse						
	may be considered imocent.						
	lith:-I can furnish security.						
ecision.	llth: To put up a reliable shop security. for the time being.						
	Ohher accused: To be detained in custody pending further order hose documentary proofs to be temporarily kept in the Court.						
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SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL POLICE.

ARREST REPORT.

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CRIME REGISTER	R No		Division.
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(One form to be used for	or each person arrested)	12th march	19 32 .
Name, age, occupation and address of person arrested.	Loe Hing Tsoong (考明 Rooms 29 & 34 Great Eas),ags 29,Anhwei, tern Hotel.	M/unemployed
Arrested by	D.S. "llcox and A/C.D.S.]	128.	
Date and place where arrest took place.	4.20 p.m.12-5-32. Roca East	t Hose 34 and 20 Or form liotel.	est
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rest for outside authorities details of offence for which	At 4.10p.m., 12-3-3	2. C.D.S. Woo Seu	Fung (
arrested).	attached to the Public S	afety Bureau, Mant	ac, came to
	this Station and request	ed assistance to a	Proof name
	who were using Rooms No.	34 and 29 of the 0	mand Panda
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	Municipality of Freater S		
	The undersigned and	A/C.D.S.128 gave t	he Becessary
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	lst. Lee Hing Tacong (M/Gacaployed, H.F.), age 29,	Amhio i,
	2nd. Lee Mein Mgoo (M/Rx.Officer, No.7),age 38, Hum	12 9
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name of investigating D.S. 722mm and 5/C.D. S. 180.

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CRIME DIARY.

CRIME REGISTER No:— ASSISTANCE PUBLIC SAME	TO THE Warch 12th, 19	\$2:
Diary Number:—	Nature of Offence:	
Time at which investigation begun and concluded each day	Places visited in course of investigation each day.	

RECORD OF INVESTIGATION.

), age 38, Amwhei, 6th. Ying Eyoh Ding (M/themployed, H.F.A.

),ege 35, Kiangeu, 7th. Wong Twoong Zung (S/Teacher, Dah Yah University, Jessfield Road.

),age,41, Klangsu, 8th. Sung Nyoh Su (), age, 41, Klang M/Unemployed, No.111 Jeasfield Roud.

),age 58, Hupehe 9th. Tsang Ning Yuen (M/Unemployed, N.F.A.

A quantity of papers, chops and letters of appointment were seized in the rooms, which prove the agrested men to belong to an organisation which they call "Headquarters of the 1st Brigade, 2nd General Group of the South East Self-Defense Army.

As far as can be ascertained the object of the plot was to buy ever the Public Safety Bureau and the heads of the bonds of the various administration Offices of the Greater Shanghai Municipality and then form the "Bouth East Self-Defense Army" of men picked from the Chinese Police and the Chinese Merchant Volunteer Corps.

Several appointments have already been issued for Commissions in this army, two of which were handed over, by the 7th accused on 11-3-32, to Zang Zeh Jui (Chief Ceptain of the 8th Division, Mentas Police and) Chief Captain of the Montae Kinng Sang Sau (Public Safety Bureau, appointing them as Brigado Co der and Battalian Commander, respectively of the af mentioned amy.

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CRIME DIARY.

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These letters of appointment, together with a Chop and Arm-lets were brought to this Station, as evidence, by the Detectives of the Public Safety Bussay.

At 9.30p.m. 12-3-32, D.S.Barton, with the assistance of Nantao Detectives and the French Police, took the 2nd accused to his home at No.7 Rue Chapsal were a suitcase containing documents and correspondence was soized.

They also visited the house of the 3rd accused, No.26 Rue Brenier Montmorand, where a box containing documents and correspondence was seized and two further arrests made namelys-

10th. Sung Ban Tan (), age 36, Human, M/Unemployed, No.26 Rue Brenier Mentmerand,

llth. Zau Wei Si (),age 19, Hunan, S/Unemployed, No.26 Rue Brenier Montmorand.

The accused have been charged under Article 103 of the C.C.R.C. and they will appear before the S.S.D.Court on 14-3-32, when the Public Safety Bureau will make application for them to be handed over.

Headquarters Special Branch attended and are taking statements from the persons arrested.

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Name, age, occupation and address of person arrested.	Lee Hsin Mgoo (方限名 officer,No.7 Rue du Ch),age 38,Hunan.M/ex apsal.	-Wilitery	
Arrested by	D.S.Wilcox and A/C.D.S.128.			
Date and place where arrest took place.	4.20 p.m.on 12-3-32.	Hoom Nos.34 and 29 Eastern Hotel.	Great	
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CRIME REGISTER	No	Louis
(One form to be used for	each person arrested)	12th March 32.
Name, age, occupation and address of person arrested.	Chow Ts Zah (京) 子和),age Room 33, Dah Zung Lodging H	29, Chekiang. M/unemployed. ouse, Rue du Chapsal.
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Date and place where arrest took place.	4.20 p.m.on 12-3-32. Room Easte	Nos.34 and 29 (rest rn Hotel.
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(One form to be used for	r each person arrested) 12th karch 15	32.
Name, age, occupation and address of person arrested.	Chow Keng Zung (高葉),age 53,Anhwei.M/unempl 86 Rue Brenier de Montmorand.	.oyed,
Arrested by	D.S. llcox and A/C.D.S.128.	
Date and place where arrest took place.	4.20 p.m.on 12-3-32. Room Nos.34 and 29 Great Eastern Hotel.	
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CRIME REGISTER	2 No	Lousa	Police Station.		
(One form to be used for each person arrested) 12th March					
Name, age, occupation and address of person arrested.	Ying Nyoh Ding (7 3. 3	,age 38,Anhw	ei.M/unemployed.		
Arrested by	D.S. 11cox and A/C.D.S.12	88.	1.1		
Date and place where arrest took place.	4.20 p.m.on 12-5-32. Room Nos.34 and 29 Great Eastern Hotel.				
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Name of investigating officer.	D.S.Wilcox and A/C.D.S.L	28.			
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CRIME REGISTER	. No	Leuza	Police Station.
(One form to be used for	each person arrested)	12th Kar	19 32.
Name, age, occupation and address of person arrested.	Wong Tsoong Zung (王仲 中 Dah Yah University, Jessi),age 35,Kian ield Road.	gsu.S/unemploye
Arrested by	D.S.Wilson and A/G.D.S.128.		
Date and place where arrest took place.	4.20 p.si. on 12-3-32. A	oom Hos. 34 and astern Hotel.	29 Great
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CRIME REGISTER		Division. Police Station.
Name, age, occupation and address of person arrested.	Sung Nyoh Su (80 3. 3. 3. 3. M. unemployed.ll1 Jessf),age 41,Kiangsu.M/unemployed. ield Road.
Arrested by	D.S. 11cox and A/C.D.S.	.123.
Date and place where arrest took place.	4.20 p.m. on 12-3-52.	Room Nos.34 and 29 Great Eastern Hotel.
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CRIME REGISTER	. No	Lousa Police Station.
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Name, age, occupation and address of person arrested.	Tsang Ming Yuen (), age Room 29 Dah Zung Ledging hou	58, Hupeh. M/unemployed. se, Rue du Chapsal.
Arrested by	D.S.Wilcox and A/C.D.S.128.	
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CRIME REGISTER No.		Louza Police Station.		
(One form to be used for		March 12th, 19 32.		
Name, age, occupation and address of person arrested.	Sung Ban Tau (宋 消姜),ag No.26 Rue Brenier Kontmorar			
Arrested by	D.S.Wilcox and A/C.D.S.128.			
Date and place where arrest took place.	12-3-32. No.26 Rue Brenie	er Kontmorand.		
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CRIME REGISTER	No	Louza Police Station.			
(One form to be used for	each person arrested)	Warch 12th/9 32.			
Name, age, occupation and address of person arrested.	Zau Wei Si (背為先) No.26 Rue Brenier Kontm	,age 19, Hunan, S/Unemployed, orand.			
Arrested by	D.S.Wilcox and A/C.D.S.128.				
Date and place where arrest took place.	12-3-32.	÷			
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The above named accused again appeared before the Second Branch of the Kiangsu High Goust on the afterness of 15-3-32, when the charge-sheet was endersed as follows:-

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SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL POLICE.

CRIME DIARY.

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	3rd.	:- Lee Ts Kwei	(季3克).
	4th.	:- Chew Ts Zah	(周子石)。
	5th.	:- Chew Keng Zun	8 (周轩尼)。
	6th.	:- Ying Wych Din	g (尹弘声).
	7th. *	≤- wong Tsoong &	
	8th. "	:- Sung Nyoch Su	(孫王孝)。
	9th.	:- Tsang Ming Yu	on (张列走)。
	10th,	:- Sung Ban Tau	(求伯涛).
*	11th. *	3- Zau Wei 81	(中方包)。
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:	Second Branch	of the Kiangsu Hig	her Court en the morning
	of 14-3-32, wh	nen after a lengthy	hearing the charge-sheet
-	was endersed s	s fellews;-	
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being. 11th. accused to be released on security.

The seized property, including papers searched from the persons of the accused, was detained by the

Arrest of 'Revolutionaries' in the Settlement

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Superintendent Robertsen

Safety Bureau requested assistance from Louis Station to arrest persons who were using Hooms 29 and 34 of the Great Emstern Hotel. His Wo Kan, off Manking Road as a meeting place where they were platting the overthrow of the Public Safety Bureau and the Emmissipality of Greater Shanghai.

A party of Municipal Police attended and the following nine persons were arresteds

Leo Hing-tecong

Li Sing-ngch

Soong Seb-keeng

Chou Tox-mah

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Chou Keng-aung

Jeong Zeong-sung

Sung Sgeb-en

Teong Ming-youn

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found on the premises, taken into custody
Soong Pah-dau

Zau Vei-siem ()

The seizure at this address, on examination, however, proved of no value and had no bearing on the case.

From statements made by the accused copies of which are attached it appears that the Public Safety Bureau and the offices of the various organs of the Municipality of Greater Shanghai were to be occupied by the South-Bastern Self Defence Army at a certain time on March 13. The nucleus of this army was to consist of members of the Public Safety Bureau and the Merchants Volunteer Gorpe for which assistance \$100,000 was to be paid and 2,000 rifle supplied to the representative of the Euresu in question together with an assurance that no dismissal or change of the present staff of the Public Safety Bureau would be affected. The new army when formed would be commanded by General Chow Feng-chi), who according to the statement of the first?—principal accused Li Ming-tessang, engineered the plot under the name of Li Mgoh ().

Constrail Chara Pang-able who consider at 146 kmc Person Mobert is notorious for his immediate; against in Yung-haining), Inchara of Chabiner, when he was exertherous by Sun Chara Pang and against the lather when the Retionalists entered Chabiner in 1927. Due his describes of the Chaparting Character and the additional Character and the additional value which recognise Chapating and Special Section 25 hald their years for about the market was a past of the additional years of the additional years and the additional years and the additional years are about the section of the additional years and the section of the additional years are also as a past of the additional years and the past of the additional years are also as a past of the additional years.

to General Chem I () owing to Chiang Kai-shek's doubt as to his, Chou's, leyalty. Again in December 1929 Chou planned a Coup d'Etat in Hangchow but the plot was d'ocovered before maturity and Chou was forced to fles.

The statement of the 9th accused, Tsang Ming-yuan

(), a graduate of the Tokio Military Academy shows
him up as an individual who has lived on political and
military intrigue for the past twenty four years and a very
suitable man to assist in a plot of this kind.

The accused have been charged with Insurrection Contrary to Art. 103 of the C.C.R.C. and will appear before Court on March 14 when an application for their extradition will be made My the Chinese Authorities.

Superintendent.

Officer 1/e Special Branch.

Mast of documents seized in Room 29, Great Eastern Hotel, at 4,20 pm, March 18.

- 1.) Braft of adocument containing orders instructing the various squadsof the Public Safety Bureau to occupy the Bureau and the important points in Nantao on the foreneen of March 13,1932.
- 2) List of names and addresses of the official organs and public
- utility concerns in Mantae.

 3) Letter paper of the Great Eastern Hotel containing notes relating imbike to badges, flags, passes, circulars to Consulates and local public bodies, password, signals and
- 4) Braft of a stroular telegram, signed by "Germander-in-Chief Lee Egah (f g)", telling about the attack upon Chapei by Japan, demouncing General Chiang Kai Shek as a traiter, and urging the people to support the South-Eastern Self-Defence Army which is to effect the salvation of the nation.
- 5) Draft of a manifests denouncing General Chiang Kai Shek and Mr. Wang Ching Wei for their non-resistence" policy and claiming that the South-Rastern Self-Defence Army" aims at the everthrew of trafters and the protection of
- Chinese territory.

 6) Two papers centaining the names of the following officers of the Public Bafety Bureau :-
- a) Yih Tseen Zung (BA +). In-charge of 2nd Branch, lat District
- Station. b) King Li Bing
- b) King Li Bing (#). in-Charge of 6th District.
 c) Zung Wei Eien (Fd f.), in-Charge of 1st Branch of 4th
- District Station, d) Lee Ying (), Chief Detective. se note that the above are intimates,
- (2) a) You won Ngoh's () men, lat large Squad of the 3rd Main Group, Teeng Ka Dee and vicinity.
- b) Wang Young Ewei's (# /)mem, 2nd Large squad of 3rd Hain Group, West Gate and vicinity.
- e) The St Hwa's (MC) men, 30th Large Squad of 3rd Hain Group, Small South Gate and vicinity. (Note) Each party will consist of 300 men, 100 rifles and
- 7) Three maps two of thanglasi and one of the lower Yangtese Valley,
- 8) Five visiting cards as reli
 -) Zau Yik Yan alies thing Tseu (K Squad of the Main Police Gre of the Pri
 - Mais of Small Squad of the
 - Chief of Small Square Co. (26 Main Group, 1986) A printer notes "26 Maria Maria Maria Maria Maria Maria Maria Maria no Branter de Hentmer
 - the Main Palice Group of the Public Sefety
- d distantants.

Translation of a draft of a document found in Hoom 29, Great Eastern Hotel, at 4.20 p.m. Harch 12, 1932.

- the country from the present crists and improving the political administrations by getting rid of all forms of corruption. It has been decided that the whole body of the army will gather together at the sunicipality of Greater Shanghai on the forencon of inst. so as to take an oath expressing their determination to resist the aggression of our st ong neighbouring country and to establish a genuire democratic rule.
- 2) wong Ming, Commander of the 3rd Division and concurrently Provisional Martial Law Commander at Shanghai, is herety ordered to lead a number of his men and occups the Shanghai Public Safety Bureau before A.M. March 13. After the occupation of the Bureau and the despatch of men for the usual post and scouting duties for the purpose of enforcing precautionary measures, the rest of Wang's officers and men are to proceed to the Eunicipality of Greater Shanghai before March 13 to swait for instructions. 5) Wong Ling (王康弘), Special Duty Officer of the Bureau of Public Safety, is hereby creered to lead his men to undertake precautionary measures along the route from the Small East Gate to the Public Safety Bureau from (time) to (time). After this, (Veng and his men) should proceed to the Municipality of Greater Shanghai to swalt instructions.
- A) You Ven Mgoh (\$\tilde{\pi} \overline{\pi} \overl

- of the officers and men should proceed to the Municipality of Greater Shanghai beforeA.M.March 13 to await instructions.

 5) Wong Yoong Kwei (美華), Chief of the 2nd large Police Squad of the 3rd Main Group, is hereby ordered to occupy West Gate and Vicinity before A.K. Earch 13. Apart from those engaged on scouting duties, the rest of the officers and men should proceed to the Municipality of Greater Shanghai beforeA.K. Maych 13 to await instructions.
- 6) Yao Sz Hwa (光花). Chief of the ard Large Folice Squad of the 3rd Nain Group, is hereby ordered to lead his men to occupy Small South Gate and vicinity before A.M. March 13 Apart from those detailed for scouting duties, the rest of the officers and men should proceed to the Municipality of Greater Shanghai at A.W. the same day to await instructions.
- 7) It is very important that the troops of the 3rd Division and the scouts of the various large squads of the 3rd Main Group should maintain close connections and that the resident should not be disturbed in any way.
- 8) The various troops belonging to this army should strictly observe the orders of the Martial Law Commander in matters relating to the maintenance of peace and order in the distri

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Translation of a document found in Room 29 on

March 12, 1932.

Public Safety Eureau, Chun Hwa Road, South of Great East Gate.

Municipality of Greater Shanghai, Feng Ling Jao.

Public Utility Bureau, West of Municipality of Greater Chenghai

Finance Bureau. East of Public Utility Bureau.

Social Affairs Bureau, Chiao Ka Pang, Chun Hwa Hoad.

Education Bureau, Public Recreation Ground, Fong Heia Road.

Land Bureau, Yen Sz Yuan Garden, Ning Ho Road.

Army Club, Ching Kee Jao.

Telegraph Office, Small East Gate.

Telephone Company, Chun Hwa Road, Great South Gate.

Radio Office, Nim Kno Road, South of Szechuen Road.

Knowinteng Headquarters, Ling Ying Road, west Gate.

Public Works Bureau, Kae Ka Loong, Wai Mah Loo, Mantao.

Public Health Bureau, Mao Ka Loong, Kai Kah Loo, Nantao, near the 1st District Folice Station.

Shanghai Reien Government and Shanghai Heien Public Safety Bureau, Boon Lai Road, City.

Arsenal, Kao Chong Hise.

3rd Party of the 1st District Water Police, Kao Chong Miae.

Water Police of Public Safety Bureau, in the Hwangpoo in front of the let District Police Station,

Kiangnam Dock, Kao Chong Miss.

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1637 From Main --- Group (or Regiment)

Serial No.3

Translation of a document found in Room 29.on March 12,1932.

(Written on note paper bearing the letter head Great Eastern Hotel)

- 1) Temporary Admission Badges of Red, Yellow and Elue silk, for distribution.
- 2) Guest Admission Badges of while silk for distribution.
- 3) Passes, special and common, for distribution.
- 4) Circular to various organs.
- 5) Circular to various consulates.
- 6) Circular telegram.
- 7) Pass word.
- 8) Signals.
- 9) Design of falg, to use the present design but change the characters.

List of property seized in Room No.34, Great Eastern Hotel, Ying Hwa Ka, rented in the name of Lee Min Tsoong (大松羊), at 4.20 p.m. March 12, 1932.

- 1. Blue cloth flag bearing the inscription of "Headquarters of the South-Eastern Self Defence Army" 東南部泽洋 特別今前
- 2. 1 written note stating as follows:
 "I shall come at 4 p.m. to-day to discuss the matter.

 Please inform all comrades to attend."

 Signed and chopped by

 Wong Ming (***)
- 3. 7 letters of appointment issued by/the Handsmarkers of Lee Ngoh (), Commander-in-Chief of the "Headquarters of the South Eastern Belf Defence Army", to the following persons:
 - Eastern Belf Defence Army, to the following persons:

 1) Tru Tro Dong (末行司) as the Superintendent of the Bureau of Public Utility.

 2) Song Zau Yao (まれる) as stuff officer holding the
 - 2) Song Zau Yao (京北)) as stuff officer holding the rank of colonel.

 5) Li Tieh Kong (本作) as the Special Deputy of the
 - 3) Li Tieh Kong (4 位) as the Special Deputy of the Wireless Administration Buresm.
 4) Tseng Ming Yuen (現 元) as the Staff Officer and Chief of Staff, Headquarters, South Eastern Self De-
 - fence Army.

 5) Li Zeu Tseng (1/2) as the Chief of General Staff
 Hodgestone South Fastern Self Defence Army.
 - Headquarters, South Eastern Self Defence Army.

 6) Song Sz Tsaung (2 4 4 4) as the Chief of Secretariat

 Headquarters, South Heatern Self Defence Army.
 - Headquarters, South Bastern Self Defence Army.

 7) Tesu Koen Daung (# # #) as Henior Military Advisor Headquarters, South Eastern Self Defence Army.
- 4. 2 drafts of circulars addressed to the people by Li Ngoh (FZ) and others of the Headquarters of South Eastern Self Defence Army to be despatched through various providial, Haien and other official organs and newspaper offices, denouncing non-reinforcements to the 19th Route Army which led to its subsequent retreat during the Sino-Japanese conflict in Shanghai, condemning deneral Chiang Kai Shek to have caused the Japanese aggression and civil strife, and amnouncing the object of the organization of a South Eastern Self Defence Army to resist Japan and to say the nation.
- 5) 1 map of Chekiang Privince.
- 6) 1 envelop addressed to Messrs. Li and Tsang by Tseu.
- 7) Lenvelop addressed to Wong Tsong Zung (141-) Great China Baiversity by Ming (9)) from Room No. 34, Dah Dong Lodging House, Chun San Road. Enclosed letter to ask a lean of \$50.00 to defray hetel expenses.
- (8) I draft of an impomplete speech announcing that the South Rastern Self Defence Army, which is organised by the people, has no party scirit, and that Chiang Kai Shak was formally a loafer.
- 10) 14 copies of Summarised regulations governing a children's hospital at No. 138 188 1885